

TO TAKE IMMEDIATE ACTION TO RESTORE PEACE IN MEXICO

PROMPT AND DETERMINED WILL BE NEXT MOVE BY THE WASHINGTON ADMINISTRATION, ALTHOUGH PLANS NOT MADE PUBLIC.

TIME LIMIT FOR COMPLIANCE BUT MAY BE PART OF PLAN

If Leaders of Present Contending Factions Disregard Demands for Immediate Settling Upon a Government, Drastic Measures Will Be Used by Pan-American Countries.

Washington, August 3.—Prompt and determined action for the restoration of peace in Mexico is to be taken by the Washington administration, co-operating with Central and South American governments, it was learned here tonight, although details of President Wilson's plan for ending the strife in the southern republic has not been given out.

It is believed in official circles that the first step proposed by the United States to its conferees will be an appeal to Mexican leaders to end hostilities and arrange for the restoration of constitutional government by peaceful means. A time limit for compliance, it is thought, will be imposed.

Should that be ignored by any of the Mexican factions, the plan is said to include procedure to promote establishment by other factions of a government to be supported morally by the United States and the other American governments. An embargo on munitions of war would be imposed, it is said, against revolting factions.

Regarding the food situation in Mexico City, it is believed demand will be made for immediate relief of the capital and the maintenance of railroad and telegraph communication between Mexico City and Vera Cruz. If Mexican leaders cannot accomplish this, the United States, it is thought, aided possibly by Latin-American governments, may find it necessary to take control of the capital and the railroad by force.

Replying to questions today, Secretary of State Lansing said the sending of troops to Mexico City to take food to starving Americans and other foreigners could not be considered an act of war.

It was learned tonight that President Wilson's determination to seek co-operation of the Central and South American governments in restoring peace in Mexico was reached last June, when his appeal to the Mexican factions to end hostilities met with no results. The invitation to extended June 30. Announcement of the plan was held up until each of the diplomats had received sanction of his government to participate.

The conference will be held at the state department next Thursday and it has been announced as informal and confidential.

Reports from Vera Cruz tonight announced entrance of General Gonzales into Mexico City. Earlier official reports said telegraphic communication with the capital had been restored for transmission of official business. American consuls came from Vera Cruz denied this later, but the Associated Press received a direct report filed today at a station a few miles outside Mexico City telling of the arrival of food supplies with Gonzales forces.

General Carranza telegraphed his agents here the following:

"Besides inaugurating the relief work with the supplies carried into the capital with the army under Gonzales, I am making provision for the transportation of additional food supplies for immediate delivery in Mexico City and distribution at points where distress is most apparent."

The American administration has announced that it would attempt to send to Mexico City via New Orleans and Vera Cruz \$6000 worth of groceries asked for by Americans.

During the day reports of border raids by Mexican bandits came from General Funston, several American soldiers having been wounded in the pursuit of the raiders.

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SUMMARY OF WAR

Great Britain's replies to the American notes concerning the detention of neutral commerce and declining to be bound by British orders in council, have been made public. With regard to neutral commerce, Great Britain refuses to accept the contention of the United States and justifies the British orders in council as being wholly within international law. Great Britain, it is declared, will continue to apply the orders in council, but with every effort to avoid embarrassment to neutrals. It is denied that international law is violated by the blockade of neutral ports to cut off an enemy's commerce with foreign countries and Great Britain declines to allow the free passage of goods originating in Germany and territory under German control.

Although the Germans and Austrians along the great battle front in Poland are declared by Berlin to be continuing their maneuvers having in view the envelopment of Warsaw, the governor general of the Polish capital was at his post as recently as Sunday last and military circles there were of the belief that if the Russian line held a week longer the city would never be evacuated.

Further advances for the Germans and Austrians along the eastern bank of the Vistula in the Lvov and Chelm-Lublin regions to the southeast are reported by Berlin, despite the fact that the Russians

RUSSIANS YET HAVE A CHANCE TO SAVE THE POLISH CAPITAL

STUBBORN RESISTANCE OF DEFENDERS OF WARSAW AND SLOWNESS WITH WHICH THE FORCES OF INVADERS ARE MOVING LEADS TO OPTIMISM.

BUT MAY BE PART OF PLAN

Previous Experience With German Tactics Show That Slowing Down Is Usually Followed by Greater Effort. Interest Attaches to Southeast, Where Teutons Extend Positions.

London, Aug. 3.—The stubborn resistance which the Russians are offering to the Austro-Germans and the slowness with which the forces of the invaders have been able to move during the last few days, has led to the belief in some quarters that the German supply of ammunition is beginning to feel the effect of the protracted struggle and that Russia may yet save the Polish capital.

Previous experience with German tactics, however, has been that a temporary slowing down was followed soon by greater effort.

For the moment therefore greatest interest attaches to the southeast, where, according to tonight's Berlin official report, the Germans have extended their bridgehead positions south of Warsaw, the Austrians have gained a decisive success west of Ivanograd and Von Mackensen after meeting with considerable resistance has broken the Russian line east of Lecz and north of the Bug river.

Similar successes have been gained by the Germans in Courland and in the direction of Lomza. To the minds of many military men, the Courland position, which General von Buelow is directing, are fraught with the greatest danger to the Russians, as a great victory for the Germans in this region would enable them to move the Russian railways which feed the Russian armies. Further west they are already near Poneviesch, which is the junction of two branch lines of the Vilna-Petrograd railway.

There has been considerable fighting in the western zone in Artois, the Argonne and Alsace, but as usual the claims of the French and German general staffs conflict, both asserting that the fighting favored their troops. Unofficial reports from Holland say that a big battle has been in progress along the British front in Flanders since Saturday.

Russians Still Holding.

Warsaw, Aug. 1.—Via mail to Petrograd, via London, Aug. 3.—The governor general of Warsaw is still at his post and Russian authority was intact. There is talk in military circles to the effect that if the Russian lines hold a week longer the city will never be abandoned.

The Warsaw civic committee and local civic committees, are working together harmoniously with the Russian authorities. Prince Lubomirski is temporary president of both the Warsaw and central committees subordinate to the civic committees.

Twenty thousand guards have been enrolled at Warsaw. Approximately 100,000 persons have left the capital for the interior of Russia. Hunger has not yet been felt and trade is brisker than usual, there being ample work in connection with the war.

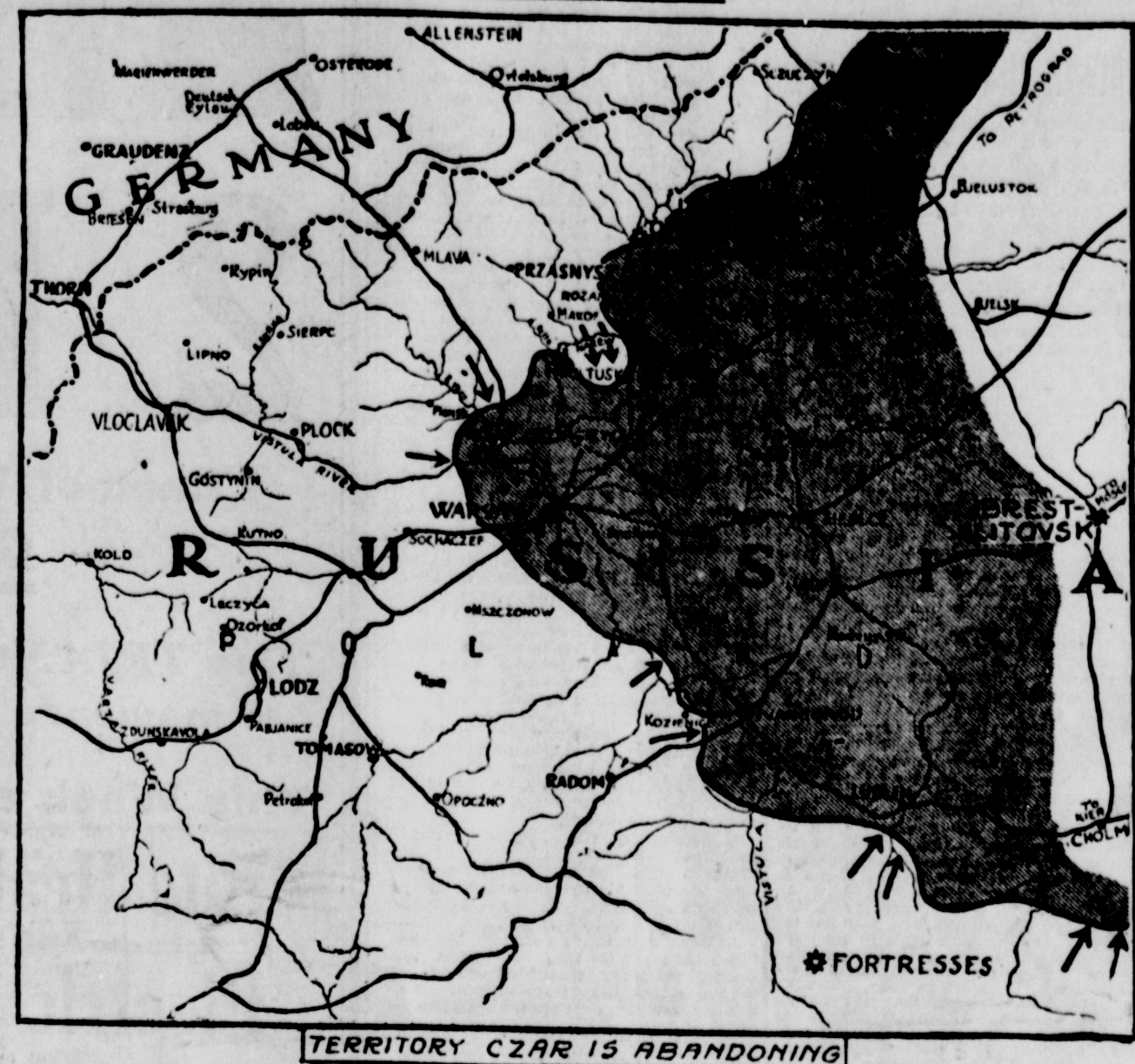
On the Russian front, the situation is reported to be quite serious. The situation is very different from this in the provinces from which the Russian army has withdrawn. Lublin, at various points continue to offer stubborn resistance to the advance. A large number of prisoners and numerous cannon have been taken by the Teutonic troops.

In the western line in France and Belgium there have been several infantry attacks, hand grenade fighting and sniping operations in which the official report from Berlin and Paris are at variance. Berlin asserts that in the Argonne French trenches were captured and that in Champagne the borders of the fighting zone were extended. Unofficial Italian advice is to the effect that the Italians continue to make progress near Rovereto, in the Area Valley and on the crest of a hill which materially improves the virtually wiped out in an attempt to retake captured positions from the Italians.

In the fighting on the Gallipoli peninsula the Australian and New Zealand troops, according to Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton, attacked and captured a network of Turkish trenches which gave them the crest of a hill which materially improves the allied position in this sector of the line.

On the other hand, the Turks report that an allied attack near Akyurni was put down with heavy casualties.

Great Territory Czar Is Abandoning



The Warsaw salient, against which the German armies have been beating with tremendous losses for weeks, and which the Russian general staff finally decided to abandon, is shown in the accompanying map. The heavy force of a Russian retreat at every weak spot, notably at the loop crossing the Narva river, between Pultusk and Rozan. The arrows show where the principal attacks have been made. With the decision to evacuate Warsaw, retreat to the Bug river and a line of forts running almost north and south from Brest Litovsk. The shaded portion of the map indicates approximately the territory that will be lost. The great question now left is whether involved, has been the real prize for which Germany has been fighting. The destruction of this vast force, and not the territory insured, if the battle line guarding the railroads holds. The salient above Pultusk is the most imminent danger. The great object of the Germans is to break one of these two lines and, if possible, strike in on the third of the road running east from Warsaw—further to Moscow, the life line of the great Russian army around Warsaw.

Band of Mexican Raiders Escape U. S. Cavalrymen

Brownsville, Aug. 3.—The band of Mexican raiders reported surrounded north of Brownsville today by United States cavalrymen and American possemen has escaped, according to information here tonight. The raiders, after today's fight with cavalrymen and posses, in which Private McGire was killed and Private Curtis wounded and in which the Mexican dead has been variously placed at from 12 to 15, were reported entrenched in the brushy country about 18 miles north of here, but when the place was rushed late this afternoon, the United States troops found only six saddled horses and one extra saddle. Only two Mexicans are now believed to have been killed, while two have been captured. The exact casualties among the raiders, however, still is in doubt.

Martial law practically is in force in the region of today's fighting and every farm and ranch in the community is prepared to resist further raids while posses and cavalrymen tonight continue scouring the country in search of members of the gang which apparently has taken to the brush about.

County officers who participated in today's battle claim they recognized the band of raiders as having been in two members of the gang escaped prisoners from the Cameron county jail who became refugees in Mexico about two years ago.

Deputy Sheriff C. A. Manahan was injured by a stray bullet from the posse early today, but his injuries are reported as slight.

County Judge H. L. Yates today appealed to the federal government for 1000 to 1500 troops to patrol the lower Rio Grande valley in this vicinity, but no reply had been received early this evening. He also asked Gov. James E. Ferguson of Texas for assistance. The governor replying he would do everything in his power to secure additional troops.

It was learned late tonight a young Mexican was shot and probably fatally wounded during today's fighting. Officers were not able to identify him or say if he was a member of the gang of raiders. The Mexican's condition is critical and he has been unable to speak since he was found in the brush late this afternoon.

Lieut. H. B. Johnson, adjutant at Fort Brown, returned tonight. He confirmed tonight's report as to the day's fighting and said the band of raiders, but denied Clapsaddle had been wounded. United States cavalry will patrol the affected area throughout the night.

Ferguson Notified of Raids.
Austin, Aug. 3.—County Judge H. L. Yates of Cameron county today wired Governor Ferguson of the raids made in the southern part of Cameron county by Mexican bandits. The situation is reported to be quite serious, according to the message from Judge Yates. The judge also pleaded with Governor Ferguson to do his best to obtain additional troops from the federal government for protection on the border. In the event the government does not grant any more troops, Judge Yates appeals to the governor to order out a regiment of infantry of the Texas National Guard.

An effort is being made to get in touch with Governor Ferguson, who is spending his vacation on the coast. The adjutant general's department has not as yet received any report of the raids from the rangers. The company commanded by Captain H. L. Ransom

THE WEATHER

Voluntary Forecast.
Fair and somewhat cooler weather is predicted for today by Dr. I. Block, volunteer observer and optician.

Local Readings.
Readings for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock last night: Maximum 90 at 4 p. m., minimum 76 at 5 a. m., barometer 30.04, humidity 35, wind passage 121 miles, highest 11 miles an hour at noon.

Government Forecast.
Washington, Aug. 3.—Forecast: Texas—Fair Wednesday and Thursday. Oklahoma—Fair Wednesday and Thursday, slightly warmer. Louisiana—Generally fair Wednesday and Thursday.

25 LIVES LOST IN ERIE, PA., CLOUDBURST

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN PROPERTY DAMAGE—CITY IN DARKNESS.

Dams South of City Burst and the Main Streets Are Flooded With Water.

Erie, Pa., Aug. 3.—Twenty-five lives lost estimated by the police, millions of dollars in property damage and the city in total darkness tonight is the result of a cloudburst shortly after 6 o'clock which inundated a large section of the city.

The heavy precipitation caused dams south of the city to burst, letting out a flood of water that filled the main business streets to a depth of five feet and in some sections reached to the second story windows of dwellings. Among the first plants to go out of commission was the Erie County Electric company which supplied the city with light. Then the Erie Dispatch, a morning newspaper, was flooded, and all idea of getting out a morning paper was abandoned until tonight when the staff was moved to the plant of the Erie Times. In the meantime the first bulletin of the flood was sent to the outside world by the Associated Press operator, who waded in water up to his armpits to the Western Union Telegraph office, a distance of five blocks, and there sent out his story.

All telephone wires were put out of commission by the flooding of conduits and it was several hours before crippled telegraph communication could be partly restored.

At Ninth street, along Mill creek, the flood was at its worst. It is impossible tonight to ascertain how many actually lost their lives there. Many are still imprisoned in houses and the police that a house floated down Mill creek with two women and four children clinging to it. Firemen tried to rescue them but lost their lives in the attempt.

Every store in State street, the main business street of the city, is flooded and at least fifty houses are reported washed away.

The Jarecki Manufacturing plant has been washed away by the twenty automobiles that were in the garages with them.

A little girl standing on the banks of Mill creek was carried down to her death when the creek caved in.

John Higgins of 297 East Eighth street was the first victim of the flood to be identified. His body was recovered from Mill creek.

Wreckage is piled 70 feet high in the heart of the city. At midnight the water had receded somewhat, but the estimate of 25 dead was maintained.

The flood came through the valley of Mill creek, running through the eastern section. The stream rose four feet in five minutes.

The worst congestion was at Ninth street, in the center of the city. Half a dozen houses were washed away here and piled up. Scores of people are inside these houses and under the debris. Whether they are still alive is unknown. Several shots have been

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U. S. NEWS UNSUSTAINABLE DECLARES THE BRITISH NOTE

England's Reply to United States' Communication of Protest Against Blockade of Neutral Ports is Made Public—Invites This Country to Submit to International Arbitration All Cases Under Discussion.

CLAIMS CONDITIONS OF WARFARE CHANGED

Reiterates That Great Britain Will Continue to Apply Orders Complained of by United States, But Not Without Every Effort to Avoid Embarrassment to Neutrals—Loss of Trade in Some Places Made Up for Elsewhere.

Washington, August 3.—Great Britain's replies to the latest American representations against interference with neutral commerce reject entirely that the orders in council are illegal and justify the British course as being wholly within international law.

"Unsustainable, either in point of law or upon principles of international equity," is the British reply to the American protest against the blockade of neutral ports, with an invitation to submit to international arbitration any cases in which the United States is dissatisfied with the action of British prize courts.

Great Britain's reply, embodied in two notes, one supplemental, was made public here tonight and in London simultaneously by agreement between the two governments. With the notes was made public also the correspondence over the American steamer Neches, seized by the British while enroute from Rotterdam to the United States, with goods of German origin. All the correspondence aggregates 1600 words.

Changed conditions of warfare, the British note contends, require a new application of the principles of international law. The advent of the submarine and the aerial and the atrocities by German troops in Belgium, are cited as justification for the exercise of extreme measures. The blockade is justified on the contention that the principle of a blockade is that a belligerent is entitled to cut off "by effective means, the sea-borne commerce of his enemy."

The note reiterates that Great Britain will continue to apply the orders in council, although not without every effort to avoid embarrassment to neutrals and observes that the American statistics show that any loss in trade with Germany and Austria has been more than overbalanced by the increase of other industrial activities due to the war.

In the general reply to the American representations against the orders in council, Sir Edward Grey, the foreign minister, addressing Ambassador Page, begins by expressing the hope that he may be able to convince the administration in Washington "that the measures we have announced are not only reasonable and necessary in themselves, but constitute no more than an adaptation of the old principles of blockade to the peculiar circumstances with which we are confronted."

"I need scarcely dwell on the obligations incumbent upon the allies," wrote Sir Edward, "to take every step in their power to overcome their common enemy, in view of the shocking violation of the recognized rules and principles of civilized warfare of which he has been guilty during the present struggle."

Atrocities in Belgium.
Sir Edward then refers to alleged atrocities in Belgium, poisoning of wells in Germany, Southwest Africa, use of poisonous gases against the allied troops in Flanders and finally the sinking of the Lusitania to show "how indispensable it is that we should leave unused no justifiable method of defending ourselves."

Coming down to the question of the allied blockade of neutral ports, the note continues:

"In the various notes, which I have received from Your Excellency, the right of a belligerent to establish a blockade of the enemy's ports is admitted, a right which has obviously no value in so far as it gives power to a belligerent to cut off the sea-borne exports and imports of his enemy. The contention which I understand the United States government puts forward is that if a belligerent is so circumstanced that his commerce can pass through adjacent neutral ports as easily as through ports in his own territory, his oppo-

British Ship Springfield.
The note then refers to the case of the British ship Springfield, seized by United States cruisers during the civil

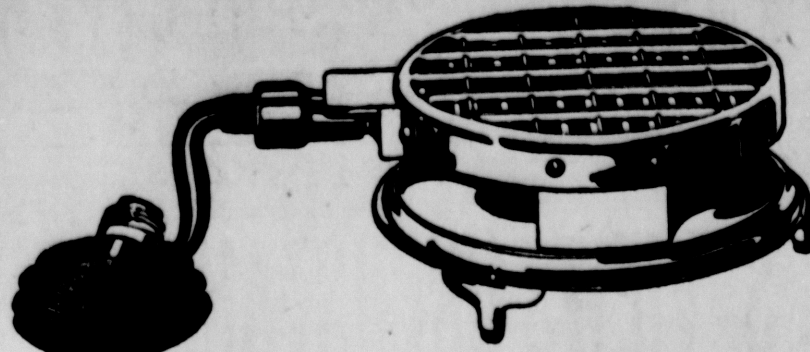
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Farmers' Congress Turns to Credits and Cotton

College Station, Aug. 3.—The Texas Farmers' Congress turned its serious attention to a consideration of credit systems and handling of Texas' greatest crop tonight. At the night session addresses were delivered by Hon. Morris Sheppard, United States senator, on "Rural Credits," by Nathan B. Adams, cashier of the American National Exchange bank at Dallas, on "The Relation of Credit to the Proper Housing of Crops," and by Clarence Guseley, director of extension at A. and M. college, who told of the work of that department and spoke in an optimistic vein of the cotton crop and its marketing for the coming season.

Recommendations urging important changes in the manner of administering the rural educational system in Texas were made by the educational committee in its report tonight. Some of these suggestions called for the consolidation of small school districts, the passage of legislation providing for special larger taxes for support of rural schools, and for requirements of professional qualifications for county school superintendents. The teaching of agriculture, domestic science and manual training in the high schools and all of the higher institutions of learning supported by the state also was urged. Resolutions touching the death of Tom Larkin, formerly of Beaumont and former adjutant, were adopted.

The congress will adjourn tomorrow morning, following the election of officers. But little interest has been manifested in the election and there is talk of re-electing President Singleton. Sectional meetings were held during the forenoon and afternoon.



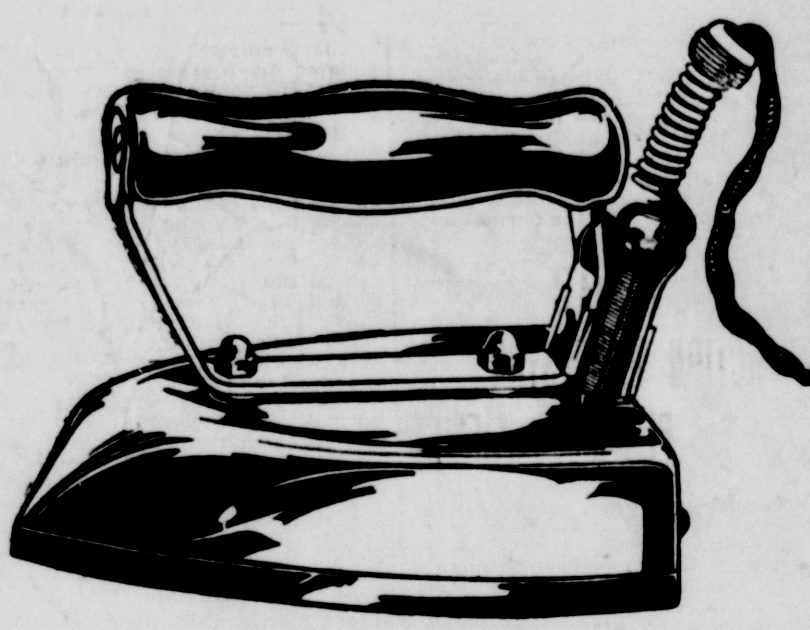
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heard inside, but nothing is known of the reason for the shooting. The rain that preceded the flood started with a heavy thunderstorm at 4 o'clock this afternoon and continued for several hours until the cloudburst. By 8:30 the full force of the flood struck.

One woman, preparing to retire, was hurled from her home nude and was rescued two blocks away. State street is a river. Life-savers have been called from the stations of Lake Erie and firemen and policemen under the direction of Mayor Stern are making every effort for the rescue of the imperiled and the comfort of the homeless.

Three hundred flood sufferers are housed in the national guard armory. Little children who have been separated from parents and parents frantically searching for children are huddled together in a pitiable plight. The Erie Drygoods company, a large department store, has opened its doors and is distributing clothing. A board of commerce has sent a notice broadcast for sufferers to go to the Reed House for relief and this organization has started a relief fund with \$100 subscription.

About 200 persons are housed in the city rescue mission and hospitals and other charitable institutions have opened their doors. It is estimated at midnight that 2000 persons are homeless. Boats are being used, but as yet none have been able to penetrate the center of the flooded district because of the rush of water that is running at high pressure.

At midnight it was believed that the crest of the flood had passed.

Richmond Stormswept.
Richmond, Va., Aug. 3.—Richmond was stormswept tonight and damage

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SENATOR LEWIS SAYS U. S. WILL HAVE WAR DECLARES THE BRITISH NOTE

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PREDICTS RUSSIA, GERMANY, JAPAN AND CHINA WILL CLASH WITH AMERICA.

ALREADY HAVE GRIEVANCES

Declares England Can Not be Looked to for Assistance—Former Believers Have Become Allies.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 3.—The prediction that Russia, Germany, Japan and China would sometime be arrayed in arms against the United States and that this country could not look for aid from England or, under conditions like those at present, from South American powers, was made tonight in an address by Senator James Hamilton Lewis of Illinois before the State Bar Association of North Carolina. His subject was "America as the International Law-giver of the World Tomorrow."

In preparation for such an eventuality, Senator Lewis proposed a council of all the governments of South America and then by "alliance make common cause for the protection of republican form of government in the western hemisphere."

Declaring that Russia had a grievance against this country in connection with the disruption of the commercial treaty with Russia growing out of treatment of the Jews, and that Russia and Germany, who "have no quarrel upon governmental principles among themselves," would adjust their differences, Senator Lewis said:

"Then both Germany and Russia will be joined together in treaty with an object of dominating Asia from Siberia eastward, and then, as joint enemies of the United States they will be found in conjunction with Japan, who, now ally with Russia, will present to us the attitude of one who earned the friendships of England and Russia in turn for the aid Japan is giving these countries by driving Germany out of China. Germany with little love for Japan, but with her grievances against us, will be co-operative with Japan as Russia is today. Then with this situation the concentrated allies will seize the Philippines as retaliation for our refusing equality of citizenship to the Japanese. Russia, as an ally of Japan, would seize her former possessions, Alaska. To these will be added China, adding her weight, representing the grievance of exclusion of its people, co-operating with Japan. South America, with her now aroused suspicions of our objects in that zone, could afford us no protection and from her we could expect none, for reasons of her attitude of mind caused by misconception of our purposes and drawn from the events of taking the Panama canal and other incidents. England, because of her alliance with Japan, could under no circumstance render us any aid, and has no feeling towards us from which we could expect any. But if England, who she dared not look to England, if she dared participate, would arouse Russia to retaliate upon her Canadian possessions and upon her Hongkong in China and China upon the possession of Shanghai and Central China. Thus we see too many reasons for even dreaming of aid from any European source."

To show that these prophecies were not improbable, Senator Lewis cited historical instances where nations formerly belligerents subsequently became allies. Declaring that both England and Germany had heretofore acknowledged the principles of international law and that "for America it is now plain that in any emergency it is the duty of nations that can be relied upon for any benefit or advantage."

Senator Lewis led up to his proposal for endorsing the retention of the Philippine Islands the United States had itself violated "that prime rule of international law which is the duty of nations to enter into no treaty which is in violation of the principles of international law."

Violation of Principle Is Danger.
"It is the violation of this principle and its consequences which is today the greatest danger of America's republican institutions," he said.

Previous to entering the Philippines, he asserted, our right to enter into any civilization was not disputed, but thereafter it was natural that the principles of international law must guide what we take and that we had come into Asia with a right to come into America with theirs. This situation, he said, was the real reason for President Roosevelt's canal treaty with Panama. Japan had just entered at a time when Japan had just entered successfully from her war with Russia.

"A nation's view of us to a sense of our real situation," he concluded. "With South America suspicious of our methods, lest it might come under the rule of the Monroe doctrine; Mexico regarding us as disturbers and usurpers; we are at once surrounded with enemies; not because of any enmity, but because of their misunderstandings. Should conflict arise in the Orient from which it were necessary to defend our possessions, the Atlantic fleet could pass through the canal, the canal would be closed, the nations now bordering it, who would co-operate with our enemies for the gratification of real or imagined grievances. And all of this a legitimate inheritance from the violation by ourselves of the fundamental international law that the republics to their own zone."

IN THE LOCAL COURTS
NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
Sarah Johnson et al vs. J. A. Freeman et al, injunction; injunction granted against selling property.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Munroe, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
In session at Marlin.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT

Erwin J. Clark, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
Dr. G. H. Fosse vs. American Life Insurance Co., libel; on argument.

COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.
Court not in session.

JUSTICE COURTS.

J. J. Padgett, J. P.
Fred Jenkins bound over to grand jury on charge of assault to murder. Bond fixed at \$1000.

SUITS FILED.

Nineteenth District Court.
Estate of T. H. Lanford, deceased, contest appealed on probating of will.

war while bound for the British West Indies because her cargo was in charge. It was to be transhipped to the Confederate states. The supreme court of the United States sustained the seizure against the condemnation of a group of prominent international lawyers although the United States and British governments took the broader view and recognized the development of the older methods of blockade. No protest was made by Great Britain.

"What is really important, in the general interest," says the note, "is that adaptations of the old rules should not be made unless they are consistent with the general principle upon which an admitted belligerent right is based. It is also essential that all unnecessary injury to neutrals should be avoided. With these conditions, it may be safely affirmed that the steps we are taking to intercept commodities on their way to and from Germany fully comply. We are interfering with no goods with which we should not be entitled to interfere by blockade if the geographical position and the conditions of Germany at present were such that her commerce passed through her own ports. We are taking the utmost possible care not to interfere with commerce genuinely destined for, or proceeding from, neutral countries. Furthermore, we have tempered the severity with which our measures might press upon neutrals by not applying the rule which was invariably in the old form of blockade, that ships and goods on their way to, or from, the blockaded area, are liable to condemnation."

The note then reviews the various forms in which blockades have been made to show that there has been no uniformity of practice in essential points, and declares:

"The old principle which is fundamental and has obtained universal recognition is that by means of blockade a belligerent is entitled to cut off by effective means the sea borne commerce of his enemy."

Consequently, Sir Edward argues, it is impossible to maintain that the right of a belligerent to intercept the commerce of his enemy can be limited in the way suggested in the American notes on the subject.

"There are many cases," he says, "in which proofs that the goods were enemy property would afford strong evidence that they were of enemy origin or enemy destination, and it is only in such cases that we are detaining them."

Compares Different Court Methods.

In the supplemental note, Sir Edward does "not understand to what divergence of views as to the principles of law applicable in cases before the court the reference in the United States refers, for I am not aware of any differences existing between the two countries as to the principles of law applicable in cases before such courts." He compares the rules governing British prize courts to the rules applied by American courts, referring especially to the American case of the *Amy Warwick* before the United States supreme court where it was held that the "prize courts are subject to the instructions of their own sovereign. In the absence of such instructions their jurisdiction and rules of decision are to be ascertained by reference to the known powers of such tribunals and the principles by which they are governed under the public law and the practice of nations. It would apply the prize courts of the two countries are identical."

Then follows a long legal argument to demonstrate the practicality of a prize court being governed by international law and at the same time by municipal law in the form of orders in council. It finally comes to the case of the steamer *Zamora* in which the prize court decided:

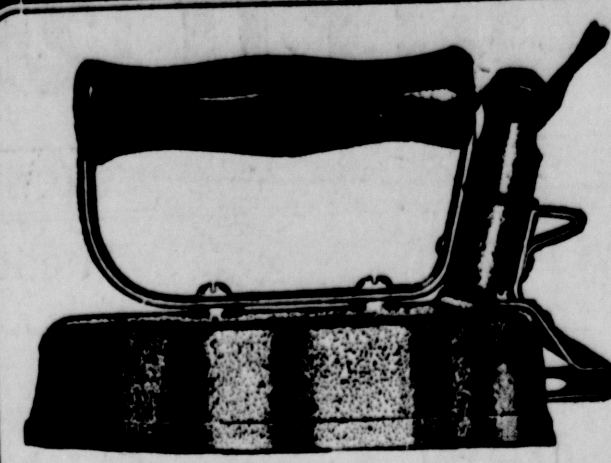
"The nations of the world may not be apprehensive that orders in council will emanate from the government of this country in such violation of the acknowledged laws of nations that it is conceivable that our prize tribunals, holding the law of nations in reverence, would feel called upon to disregard and refuse obedience to the orders of such orders."

Sir Edward then points out that the legality of the orders in council or the measures taken under their authority not yet been brought to a decision in a prize court, but he reminds the United States that "it is open to any United States citizen whose claim is before the prize court to contend that any order in council which may affect his claim is inconsistent with the principles of international law and is therefore not binding upon the court."

If the prize court declines to accept his contentions, he can appeal such a decision has been upheld on appeal by the judicial committee of His Majesty's privy council, the government of the United States consider that there is a serious ground for holding that the decision is in violation of the principles of international law and it is open to them to claim that it should be subjected to review by an international tribunal."

The celebrated *Matamoros* cases of the civil war are cited to show that the supreme court of the United States held it had the right to reverse the decision of prize courts.

To the American note in the case of the *Amy Warwick*, which summarily demanded the expeditious release of the American owned goods detained under the orders in council, Great Britain replied that "while these acts of an impotent government continued, sinking neutral as well as British merchant ships, irrespective of destination of origin of cargo and without



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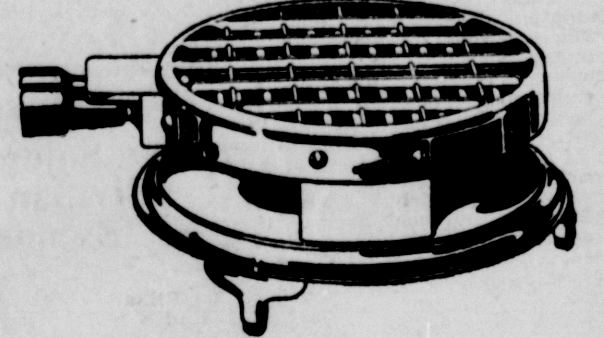
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proper regard of safety of passengers (or crews) it seems neither reasonable nor just that His Majesty's government should be pressed to a decision on the rights claimed in the British note and to allow goods from Germany to pass freely through waters effectively patrolled by British ships of war."

Great Britain offered, however, to make special examination in the Netherlands case if hardship had been inflicted. The general cargo of the *Neches* originated in Belgium.

Published in London Today.

London, Aug. 3.—The recent diplomatic correspondence between London and Washington concerning delays to American commerce and Great Britain's orders in council will be published here this morning. The British office explains that all phases of the controversy between the United States and Great Britain except with regard to cotton are covered and that when a decision is arrived at on the right question, it is probable that a note on this subject will be sent to Washington.

No question at the present time is giving the government more vexatious moments than cotton. The government already has indicated its decision not to treat the staple as contraband is not irrevocable. The correspondence concerning the seizure of the American steamer *Neches* while bound from Rotterdam to the United States with a cargo of Belgian and German goods, already has been followed by positive replies, as several of the consignments originating in Belgium which were aboard that steamer have been released and handed over to the American claimants.

Official circles here are not optimistic that the British replies will end the shipping controversy.

B'Nai B'Rith in Session.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 3.—Members of the executive council of B'Nai B'Rith, in session here today, declared that Jews were being used as shields by the Russian soldiers in the trenches and it was decided to enter a protest stroying the district and establish "vice squads" to patrol the city.

Many Enjoy Dance at Cameron Park Casino

With only the summer sky as a roof, a large number of young people enjoyed the regular Tuesday night popular dance at Cameron park casino last evening. Music was furnished by the Casino orchestra and the dancers swayed to and fro through the lulling measures of the latest numbers until a late hour.

General Jose Acosta Kills Capt. Casanoba

Nogales, Sonora, Aug. 3.—General Jose Maria Acosta, one of Governor Maytorena's lieutenants, shot and killed Captain Casanoba of the Villa garison today in front of Maytorena's office. Casanoba returning the fire mortally wounded Lieut. Carlos Mateo, a bystander. The affray was said to have been the outcome of the killing of a woman friend of Acosta by Casanoba last night.

Atlanta Police Chief Reduced.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 3.—James L. Beavers, chief of the Atlanta police department, was found guilty of insubordination and reduced to the rank of captain by the board of police commissioners late today. He had been head of the police since 1911 and attracted nation-wide attention in 1912 when he abolished Atlanta's segregated vice district and established "vice squads" to patrol the city.

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FOR AN ANTI-TRESPASS LAW.

In a very interesting and sane bulletin to employees of the operating department of the M. K. & T. railway, W. A. Webb, vice-president of that system, calls attention to the fact that for twenty-five years not a single passenger was killed on its lines and that but two passengers have been killed in train accidents during the entire history of that road. This is a creditable showing. But Mr. Webb announces that on the other hand, the Katy tracks and right-of-way are very unsafe places to walk, as 225 persons have been killed while trespassing on the company's property within the past four years.

Continuing his bulletin, Mr. Webb declares:

"Five thousand trespassers are killed on railroads in the United States each year. A minority are hoboes. Many are respected citizens. A goodly number are school children. Using the track as a 'short cut' home or to work often proves a 'short cut' to the grave. Were these five thousand killed in one accident, the public would rise as one man to stop it. Occurring as the accidents do, one by one, the public is lamentably indifferent."

All that Mr. Webb says here is true and we regret that our legislature has been so busy creating special commissions, calling for investigations and the like, and creating new offices to be filled that it has not found time to pass an anti-trespass law to safeguard the lives of people who appear too indifferent to danger and the rights of railroads to do that safeguarding themselves by remaining off the right-of-way. City commissions, legislatures and congress are willing enough to pass laws abolishing grade crossings and restricting the speed of trains, requiring steel cars, block-signal systems, and the like, but more people are killed annually in the United States through trespassing than through wrecks, we are informed, and no extra expense to the public or to the railroads is involved in the passage of an anti-trespass law. Indeed, such would be the means of a great saving to the public in mere physical costs, for it would relieve the court dockets of thousands of damage suits annually, it would unburden the railroads of the costs in personal injuries and thus make less urgent their demands for increased freight and passenger rates, to say nothing of the saving to families of their bread-winners and other loved ones.

As Mr. Webb very pertinently says: "One life is as precious as another. Why throw all the safeguards around the passenger and none around the trespasser? The way to protect the passenger is to transport him safely; the way to protect the trespasser is to keep him from becoming one." Railway agents and employees are cautioned to warn the people that they are in danger when walking on railroad tracks and loitering on railroad right-of-ways, but that is not sufficient. Where such great danger is involved, the restraining force of the law should be employed.

Henry James, the author, has announced that he has become a British subject, but Waco should not worry as long as she is able to retain the services of "Jesse" James and he keeps up his high hitting and fielding averages.

According to the Y. M. E. L. boosters, the way to go to doubling your business, Mr. Waco Business Man, is to go to Dublin on the trades excursion. Tomorrow's the day.

ATTRACTIVE FARM HOMES.

John Gorham, McLennan county farmer and vice-president of the Farmers' congress in session at College Station this week, enunciated a very important truth Monday when he declared, in response to the address of welcome to the farmers, that one of the largest factors in turning the ambitious boys and girls against the farm was the unattractive homes in which they are forced to live there.

"As we leave for our homes, scattered all over Texas," Mr. Gorham urged, "may we, too, be filled with a new inspiration, with a knowledge of how to do better things on the farm, with a deep-seated desire to have and own more comfortable and convenient homes wherein to rear our sons and daughters in such a manner that they, too, will love the farm and stay on it and there develop into handhood and womanhood, such as will be an honor to their country and to their God. Let me tell you here and now that the day for the top-sided shack surrounded by weeds and other undesirable things, and called a farm home, is a thing of the past, and will no longer be tolerated by our present sons and daughters, who are being reared in a time when the word 'progress' is being used so much and stands for everything that will uplift the human family."

"I have seen and you have, too, and possibly now know of farm homes that are utterly distasteful to the young men and women that are being reared and trained there, and at their first opportunity are ready to bid the farm good-bye in disgust, believing from their experience that there is nothing in farm life worth while. I insist that there is no need for such conditions to exist on the farm and that the reverse should be true, for all wealth is produced out of the soil and its proportionate part will remain on the farm if properly managed, for the prosperity and happiness of those who produce same."

Mr. Gorham not only knows what he is talking about but he practices what he preaches. He is a farmer who has made money by applying business principles in the cultivation of the soil and the general management of the affairs of the farm. And he has surrounded himself and his family with as many of the comforts of life as his friends in the city enjoy.

Of course, not every farmer has the same native ability that Mr. Gorham has, but many of them have and nearly all of them have a great deal more than they really employ. Hundreds of men who live on the farm and spend their rainy days and idle seasons gossiping with their neighbors or at town could do much toward making their homes more attractive for their wives and children by putting in their idle time touching up the house with a new coat of paint, repapering some of the rooms, putting down sidewalks about the house, planting shade trees, repairing the fences, overhauling the barn and outhouses, cutting the weeds around the fence and elsewhere, giving the wife a lift in the garden, shearing the mules, treating the wagon or buggy or possibly the automobile to a new coat of paint, providing a shed for some of the newly-purchased farm tools that maybe exposed to the weather, and in a hundred other ways.

The Morning News wants to see the largest possible opportunities afforded the farmers for the improvement of their condition, but it wants to see the farmers make the most of the opportunities which they have already and Mr. Gorham has pointed out one of the very essential ways in which they can make life on the farm better worth living and interest the boys and girls in making their permanent home there.

There is no end to the versatility of some Texas newspaper men. For instance, we have known Homer D. Wade as local city editor, staff correspondent, secretary of Business Men's club, secretary of the Good Roads association, magazine contributor on civic matters, booster for Central West Texas, publicity man for various enterprises, official of the Texas Welfare commission, lobbyist for the free port of Freeport, ladies' man, and, lo and behold, we now find him conspicuous among the farmers who attended the recent institute at Austin, according to a photograph of that gathering which has reached our desk.

A well-known public servant of Texas has provided the Morning News with a copy of his speech before the Farmers' congress, in session this week, the speech occupying 42 closely type-written pages. We are glad to inform our readers that we are not imposing upon them by printing it, for it would require at least two whole pages of this paper.

T. D. Hays made a large contribution to the moral, social and civic life of this community and had much to do with making Waco a better city in which to live.

We wonder what that Dallas reporter and assistant county attorney have been doing that a Fort Worth hardware dealer should identify them as an alleged dynamiter.

MONEY COST OF TYPHOID.

Typhoid fever costs the country \$350,000,000 a year, declares Dr. A. C. Ellis, director of extension of the University of Texas. The city of Pittsburgh alone has been shown by careful investigation to have lost \$3,142,000 from typhoid in one year. The discovery that typhoid is produced by a special germ, which is usually got from the water or milk supply or from flies, has made it possible to control this expensive disease. As soon as all citizens have good sanitary training, this \$350,000,000 expense for typhoid can be eliminated.

It has been shown that in the numerous cities in which the water supply alone has been made sanitary, typhoid has been reduced on the average 71 per cent. This disease is estimated to be \$5 per cent preventable by modern sanitation. The new typhoid vaccine now affords practically perfect immunity and will soon eradicate this dreadful and expensive disease. In 1911, the first year of the use of vaccine, in the army, 65 per cent of the typhoid fever cases disappeared; in 1912, 68 per cent of the small remaining fraction disappeared; and during 1913 there were only two cases reported in the entire army of 80,000 troops. One of these was contracted before the man was immunized. The other was reported in China and the case is in doubt.

In a similar manner the diphtheria antitoxin treatment discovered by Dr. Behrens has reduced the death rate from diphtheria from 55 per cent to 19 per cent. Where treatment is given promptly, the loss is less than one per cent. This disease has also been shown to be 70 per cent preventable by the use of modern scientific methods of sanitation.

OBJECT LESSON IN EXTRAVAGANCE.

Speaking generally or particularly, Kansas, as matters go, is a well-governed state. We do not hear of corruption or peculation in that commonwealth. It is the equal of most of its sisters in the quality of its administrative service, state, county and municipal; it is the superior of some. But within the last few years millions of dollars have been added to the taxes paid in Kansas, observes The Christian Science Monitor. To put it in the words of the Topeka Daily Capital: "It costs taxpayers in Kansas today \$10,000,000 more a year in taxes than ten years ago." It is not state, but local government that has grown so costly. The increase is due, as it is in other states, to over-government. There are in Kansas, as in other states, governments within governments, tax-collecting bodies within tax-collecting bodies. The taxpayer is pulled and hauled by towns, municipalities, districts, counties, the state. Fortunately for him, in Kansas he has not been short of the means of meeting his taxes, but, if the cost of government continues to increase by \$10,000,000 every decade, the question of whether he shall continue to have the means very long becomes an urgent one.

It is true that a great deal of the responsibility for the high cost of government should rest on the governed. Towns, municipalities, districts, counties and states are now asked to do for the individual things that a few years ago the individual had to do for himself or to do without. Government has become more or less luxurious. Governmental luxuries in Kansas have partly brought the cost of governing up \$10,000,000 in ten years. But another great source of cost is the machinery of government. In Kansas it is estimated that hundreds of thousands of dollars might be saved annually in many of the counties merely by simplifying this machinery. Luxury is not to be commended, not even defended, in democratic government, but extravagance is still more reprehensible.

Kansas is turning its thought at present to the consolidation of some of its governmental machinery, to the elimination of much of it, and to economy of administration on all sides. In this it is taking a wise course even for a state that in the last ten years has increased in income out of all proportion to outgo. Aside from every other consideration it can make better use of its wealth than by squandering it on useless governmental machinery, luxuries and extravagances.

With the Farmers' institute, with an enrollment of 2000—the number to whom free passes were issued—having just adjourned at Austin, the Farmers' Educational and Co-operative union in session at Houston and the Farmers' congress in session at College Station, the Texas farmer should not feel slighted if he does not get in touch with some of the uplift movement in his behalf in Texas.

While General Humidity made us seek the shade and electric fan in this city Monday, we note that he sent several New Yorkers and Philadelphians across "the river to permanent rest under the shade of the trees."

1250 EAT MELONS WITH "UNCLE" LON

ANNUAL FEED OF COUNTY TREASURER DRAWS CROWD FROM ALL DIRECTIONS.

Cantaloupes, Peaches, Lemonade, Music, Dancing and Oratory Also Contribute to Pleasure.

Four hundred watermelons, 200 cantaloupes, four bushels of peaches and gallons of lemonade were consumed last night in the annual watermelon feast spread by "Uncle Lon" Wortham, McLennan county's genial treasurer, at his home, Fifteenth and Herring. Between 1000 and 15000 people from many sections of the county—for everybody knows and likes "Uncle Lon"—and nobody is averse to accepting his hospitality—gathered for the occasion and all of them were a unit in declaring the occurrence one of the most pleasant and successful in every way that they had ever attended.

But eating and drinking was not the sole occupation of the visitors from 7:30 to 11 o'clock. The beautiful lawn about the house formed an invitation for the commingling of the guests in social intercourse, while some of the visitors took advantage of the opportunity to dance on the paved street in front of the home and to the accompaniment of old-time strains furnished by a stringed orchestra composed of old negroes. A victrola, from Sanger, also contributed a program of the musical program, while inside the house piano music was furnished by Miss Florence Wortham, daughter of George Wortham.

Ex-Senator Seth P. Mills, close neighbor of the host, presided as master of ceremonies, and introduced Judge Tom L. McCullough of the Ninth district court, who extended to all the visitors a cordial welcome on behalf of Mr. Wortham and his family. Mrs. George Walker and a class of little boys and girls from the Sunday school of the Brook Avenue Baptist church, also contributed a program of songs, speeches, recitations and the like that was heartily received.

Mr. Wortham's annual watermelon feed has become famous over the county and the affair is now regarded as an established institution, whose recurrence is looked forward to from one year to the next. Those present last night voted that one of the best feasts yet given and they expressed the hope that "Uncle Lon" would live as long as Texas craves the juicy, ripe melons and that he would continue to gather his friends about the campfire to enjoy the melons as long as he lives.

MRS. W. M. BRUMBY IS DEAD

Wife of Former State Health Officer Expires Suddenly at Home in This City.

Mrs. W. M. Brumby, wife of Dr. W. M. Brumby, assistant medical director of the Amicable Life Insurance company, and former state health officer, died suddenly at the family home, Twelfth and Morrow street, at 8 o'clock last night from congestion of the brain. While her health had not been good for the past two years, she had been up most of the time and was preparing dinner for the family last night when she had a fainting spell and died within a short while.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a son, McDuffie Brumby, an employee of the state health department, in sanitary work near Brownsville, a daughter, Miss Anna, who lives here, and her mother, Mrs. A. B. Meagher, who also made her home here.

Dr. and Mrs. Brumby came to Waco January 1 from San Antonio, where Dr. Brumby held the position of medical director for the Equitable Life Insurance company. He was state health officer under the Campbell administration, was at one time health officer for the city of Houston, and is well known over the state in professional circles. Mrs. Brumby was prominent in social and club work in Houston and San Antonio prior to her removal here a few months ago. She was an active member of the First Presbyterian church and the funeral will be held from the residence, 300 North Twelfth street, at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Rev. C. T. Caldwell, pastor of the church of which she was a member, officiating.

Selection of the pallbearers and other details of the funeral had not been completed last night.

News of her death will be a distinct shock to a large circle of friends over the state.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Ivy Boggs of Sherman is in the city. E. E. Fitzhugh is at home from a month's camp in the Llano.

A. P. Smythe, prominent banker of Marl, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. J. H. Harvey has returned from an extensive trip, which included New York and Chicago.

J. M. Freeman of J. M. Freeman & Sons left yesterday for Chicago to be absent several days.

Dr. W. B. Georgia left yesterday for Sandusky, Ohio. He will spend a few days in Dallas en route.

John D. Jarrott, Fort Worth traveling man, is making much of this territory out of Waco this week.

E. M. Gardner and Mrs. Gardner left yesterday over the Katy for a trip to San Francisco and the Panama-Pacific exposition.

W. L. Blanton of Gainesville, member of the board of directors of the State Training School for Boys at Gatesville, is in the city.

J. B. Morrow of Fort Worth, prominent cotton man, is visiting in the city.

A. W. Walker of Dallas stepped in the city yesterday a few hours to visit his son, Harold W. Walker, who is a student at Baylor university.

Monty E. Lawrence of the boys' department of the Goldstein-Mirrel company, has returned from a five weeks' visit to the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco.

C. A. Kelly, of the Powers-Kelly Drug company, has gone to Dublin in response to a message that his mother is seriously ill. It is understood that there is no hope for her recovery.

J. C. Olcott, postmaster at Marl, accompanying his brother, passed through Waco yesterday on the way to Baltimore, where the brothers enter Johns Hopkins hospital for a surgical operation.

Prof. Chas. Parker, director of the Baylor university band, underwent an operation yesterday morning at the Providence sanitarium. It was stated last night that Mr. Parker withstood the operation well and is on the road to rapid recovery.

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BANKERS TO PLAN MARKETING OF COTTON

PRESIDENT TEXAS ASSOCIATION ISSUES CALL FOR MEETING AT GALVESTON AUG. 14.

Governors Federal Reserve Banks Expected to Attend—Harding May Be Present.

Corpus Christi, Aug. 3.—Joseph Hirsch, president of the Texas Bankers' association, and Nathan Adams, chairman of the Texas Bankers' warehouse committee, have issued a call for a conference of the presidents of all southern states bankers' associations and delegates from the Clearing House association of all southern reserve cities and cotton centers to be held in Galveston August 14.

W. P. G. Harding of the federal reserve bank, Washington, and the governors of the federal reserve banks at Dallas, Atlanta, St. Louis and Richmond, are expected to attend. The purpose of the conference is to organize a concerted movement among all southern bankers for the gradual marketing of the cotton crop.

DEATHS

Funeral of Mary Hadley. The funeral of Mary Virginia Hadley, 11-weeks-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hadley, two miles out on the Robinsonville road, will be held from the residence at 10 o'clock this morning, with burial in Oakwood cemetery. The little girl died at 8 o'clock yesterday morning.

Woman's Health Greater Than Vote. Portland, Ore., Aug. 3.—Health is more important to women than the privilege of voting, declared Dr. Evelyn E. Bush of Louisville, Ky., at the annual convention of the American Osteopathic association here today.

Children's diseases are to be abolished, it was predicted in the woman's session. Dr. Josephine L. Pierce of Lima, Ohio, advocated a "health day" to be proclaimed in each state. Her idea is to start with the children and thus obtain a firm foundation for health in the future.

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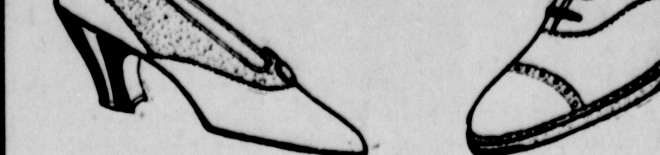
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Coming Friday, "The Girl From His Town."

EXPECT NO VERDICT IN LEE ELDER CASE

PROSPECTS FOR HUNG JURY INCREASE WHEN MORE THAN 24 HOURS ELAPSE.

Judge Munroe Refuses to Call In, Saying Let Them Fight It Out.

Marlin, Aug. 3.—Prospects for a hung jury in the Lee Elder murder case were increased tonight when the jury was locked in for the night without having reached an agreement.

The jury had been out since 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. Court officials do not expect a verdict to be reached until the jury is discharged. Elder is charged with having killed a 2-year-old baby in a tenant feud fight on the Elder farm near here.

The jury is said to stand seven for conviction and five for acquittal. Judge Munroe refused to call the jury during the day, saying he would let them fight it out.

J. C. Holloway Heads School Board. Marlin, Aug. 3.—At the meeting of the Marlin school board Monday night J. C. Holloway was elected to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Dr. J. P. Robertson at a recent meeting of the board.

The board consumed some time considering the situation with which it is now confronted regarding enough room to accommodate all the pupils this fall, since the bond issue had been turned down temporarily by the attorney general, but Supt. A. C. Ferguson has plans under consideration with which he hopes to be able to successfully cope with the situation until the bond issue becomes available.

First Bale at Marlin. Marlin, Aug. 3.—The first bale of cotton brought to Marlin came in this morning, was ginned in the Tom Glass gin, sold to Reid & McCullough of Galveston and already shipped to that city. Anton Niekamp, the producer, receiving only on a strict middleling basis, making a total price of \$14.25 for the cotton, receiving in addition thereto a bonus raised among the merchants amounting to which gave him the sum of \$22.25 for his first bale, or 14 1/2-100 cents a pound for the cotton.

Suspect in Temple Case Released. Marlin, Aug. 3.—The white man arrested by local police Saturday night on suspicion that he might be the white man in the case at Temple referred to by the negro mobbed last week, was released after Temple officials had inspected him and declared him to be the wrong man. He came walking into town wearing badly fitting clothes and appearing to be about the same height and weight as the man wanted.

Adell Bland Wins Fly Contest. Marlin, Aug. 3.—The fly-contest put on by the ladies of the "Marlin Board of Health" has ended and the prize awards have been determined. The number of flies that have been turned in weekly to the secretary of the Commercial club having been all counted and added up.

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Marlin City Secretary Returns. Marlin, Aug. 3.—City Secretary Hinds Powell has returned from Galveston, where he had been on a business trip, and will resume his duties at the city hall during the last half of the big cotton show. Mr. Powell reports the exhibit attracted much attention to the hot water features of this city, many testifying to him when they registered that this was the first time they had heard of the city of Marlin.

Wacoans at Marlin. Marlin, Aug. 3.—The following Waco people are stopping in this city, according to the hotel registers: J. M. Bush, H. C. Eaton, W. B. Bailey and A. B. Burns.

Echo of the Famous Chicken Salad Case

Austin, Aug. 3.—There was an echo today of the famous chicken salad and punch injunction suit when Comptroller Terrell issued a warrant for \$175 in payment of a portion of the accounts included in the case. The warrant is in favor of Byrdson, brother, contractors, for lumber furnished for the governor's mansion during the Colquitt administration. This item was not in controversy and in no wise was the injunction against the payment of the chicken salad and punch items.

The case is now before the third court of civil appeals, having been appealed by the comptroller.

First 1915 Taxes. Austin, Aug. 3.—The first remittance of 1915 tax collections reached the state treasury today, having been sent by Tax Collector John A. Bitters of Bexar county. Collector Bitters sent a remittance of \$54,984 for collections. These collections are principally from liquor licenses. Several years ago Collector Bitters by sending in an early remittance saved the state from going on a deficit. General revenue in the treasury department is still holding up fairly well.

Grayson Bonds Approved. Austin, Aug. 3.—An issue of \$862,000 road improvement bonds of Grayson county was approved today by the attorney general's department, the bonds bearing 5 per cent and maturing in 40 years with a five-year option. The bonds were brought here by County Attorney Ben F. Gafford of Grayson county.

Another Charge Threatening Letters. Austin, Aug. 3.—Made defendant in another complaint charging him with depositing threatening letters in the mail, the second complaint being filed Aug. 2 and describing the letter in question as one addressed to Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States, F. H. Juergens, a young man of this city, waived examination in both cases before United States Commissioner T. J. Caldwell Tuesday afternoon. On the recommendation of District Attorney J. L. Camp of San Antonio, bond in each case was fixed at \$1000, to await the action of the federal grand jury next January.

Italy Recluse Found Dead. Italy, Aug. 3.—A. F. Cottingham, a notary and recluse, today was found dead in his chair in the rear of his store. Cottingham had lived here fifteen years but had led a secluded life and the authorities are looking for some of his relatives.

Contract for Turnersville School. Gatesville, Aug. 3.—Yesterday the trustees of the Turnersville school district let the contract for the rebuilding of their school house that was burned in the early part of the year. Sullivan & Oats of Comanche were the successful bidders, their bid being \$7428.

AT THE QUEEN



MARY PICKFORD IN "RAGS," QUEEN FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

THEATRES

HIPPODROME.

"Milestones of Life."

Psycho-analysis, a branch of psychology which in recent years has been the study of learned men in this country and Europe, but which until recently has not been placed before the public because of the lack of definite results, is used as the theme for "Milestones of Life," the four-part Mutual Masterpicture, offered at the Hippodrome today and tomorrow.

In "Milestones of Life," however, this modern phase of psychology is so realistically presented by a capable company of players, headed by the captivating Mignon Anderson, that it is bound to furnish the means for nation-wide discussion. Marital problems date back to the foundation of society itself, but until the recently herded event of psycho-analysis no definite solution has ever been reached.

For example, it is well known that things which happen in early life in the home, with its high ideals and unadorned sense of honor. One-handed, red-headed and freckle-faced, his is as lovable a character as has been presented on a stage in many days. And the girl, named "The Angel," by Freckles, is a sweet, charming little lady who completely captivates all from her first appearance. Gene Stratton Porter has placed herself in the ranks of the foremost American novelists by her keen perception of character, such as she portrays in "Freckles."

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BETTY NANSSEN IN "SHOULD A MOTHER TELL," AT THE QUEEN TODAY AND TOMORROW.

ORPHEUM Theatre

Today at 2:30 p. m.
Tonight at 8:15 p. m.
Keyes Sisters and players present

"THE ROSARY"

Production, electrical effects, stage settings and costumes beyond comparison.

Special Vaudeville Between Acts
Special Prices: 10-20-30c.
Matinees Wednesday and Saturday—10-20c.
Seats may be secured in advance.

a matinee Saturday, the Keyes Sisters and players will present "Freckles," the character comedy dramatized from Gene Stratton Porter's widely known novel of the same name. This play has proved a tremendous success from its first presentation in a New York theatre, and it is only after a period of waiting covering several weeks that the Keyes Sisters company is able to get the manuscript and rights, so great is the nation-wide demand.

"Freckles" the play is in reality "Freckles" the book, made into a delightful character comedy. No whit of the naturalness and simplicity of the story has been lost in the dramatization.

The spirit of the great outdoors abounds in "Freckles" and the play is as refreshing as an outing in the woods. Indeed, one can imagine the soft sighing of the giant pines, the twitter of the birds and the hum of the great insect life which combine to make the woods what they are. Even the fragrance of the wild flowers seems to insinuate itself into the scenes as one views the play.

No sweeter story of love has been told than that which runs through "Freckles." Hearts go out in sympathy and understanding to this boy of the woods, with his high ideals and unadorned sense of honor. One-handed, red-headed and freckle-faced, his is as lovable a character as has been presented on a stage in many days. And the girl, named "The Angel," by Freckles, is a sweet, charming little lady who completely captivates all from her first appearance. Gene Stratton Porter has placed herself in the ranks of the foremost American novelists by her keen perception of character, such as she portrays in "Freckles."

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During the action of the play the following musical numbers "Kill me," "The Girl I've Had in Mind," and "Mother Machree" will be sung by Chet Keyes, and Miss Dot Keyes will sing "The Boy of the Limberlost."

Tonight an tomorrow matinee and night "The Rosary" will be played. Curtain at night 8:15, doors open at 7:30; matinees at 2:30 p. m., doors open at 2 p. m. Plenty of ice cold lemonade and ice water given out. Reserve seats well in advance to avoid the rush.

Sheriff Goes After Will Franks. Denton, Aug. 3.—Sheriff Gallagher today went to Durant, Okla., to get Will Franks, who is held there on a charge of having killed his uncle, Charles Franks, here last Tuesday. Franks has waived extradition formalities.

New Church Building at Jessie. Hillsboro, Aug. 3.—The contract for a new Cumberland Presbyterian church building at Jessie was closed late yesterday evening. The edifice will be 28x44 and will have an ell 12x20, which, with an annex, will make the structure approximately 44x44 feet. Work on tearing down the old building has been commenced.

100 Bales Bought at Hillsboro. Hillsboro, Aug. 3.—A local cotton buyer consummated a deal this morning for 100 bales of cotton from C. A. Stanphill of Abbott, the price paid being \$14c. The sale included thirty bales of the 1913 crop, for which Mr. Stanphill had refused 14c.

Beulah I. Duncan. Courses in the correct use of the singing voice. Studio opens Sept. 1st, 13th, 803 S. 3rd St. Old phone 1128.—Adv.

Chas. Parker. Special summer courses in Cornet, Trombone and Stringed Instruments during June, July and August. New Studio 508 1-2 Franklin street. New and second-hand instruments for sale. New phone 1137.—Adv.

Dr. Aleck Spencer has returned home from Colorado and resumed his practice of eye, ear, nose and throat at 1193 Amicable building.

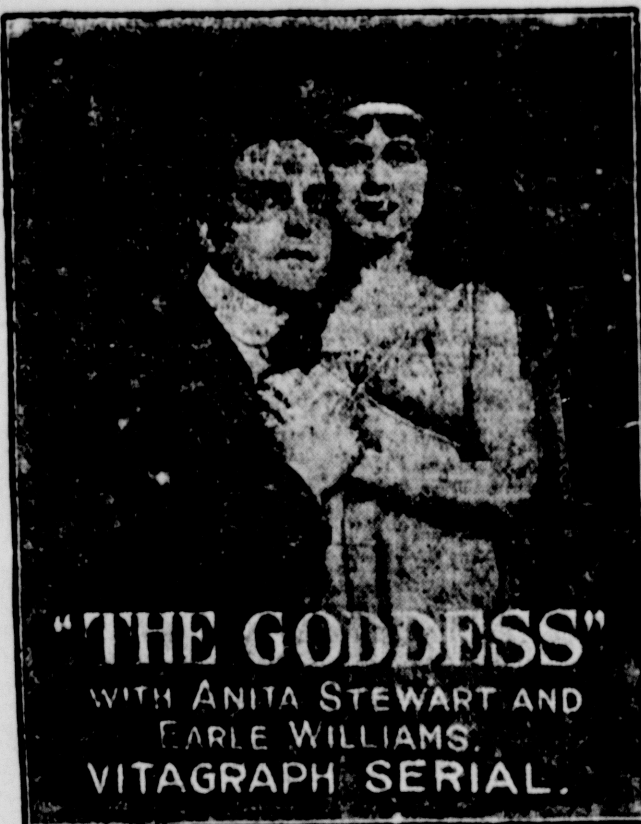
Awning and Blazer Stripe Voiles

For today's selling we feature a superb collection of the popular Awning and Blazer Stripe Voiles. They are 40 inches wide; colors, Blue and White, Pink and White, Lavender and White, Black and White. They are real sheer and dainty, and washable. Priced, the yard, today—

25c

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517-519 AUSTIN ST.



"THE GODDESS" WITH ANITA STEWART AND EARLE WILLIAMS. VITAGRAPH SERIAL.

Nickel Presents Chapter Five Today.

Waco Couple Weds at Hillsboro.

Hillsboro, Aug. 3.—T. J. Danes and Miss Anna Mae Teague of Waco were united in marriage yesterday evening by Judge Dudley Stephenson. The couple arrived in the city over the interurban and were not long in securing the license and having the ceremony performed.

ed. They left immediately after the ceremony over the interurban for Waco. Let us send you a carpenter to figure on that repair job. Phones 60. Brazelton, Pryor & Co.—(Adv.)

QUEEN THEATRE

The Coolest Spot in Town

Today and Tomorrow



BETTY NANSSEN

Betty Nansen
Stuart Holmes
Claire Whitney
Jean Southern

In the question that upset two continents

Should A Mother Tell?

SHOULD A MOTHER TELL?
By R. A. Carter.
Should a mother tell? Though her heart be racked,
And her soul cries out, with its burden fell,
Should she speak when the hazard to kill or save
Rests on her word, be silent or tell?
Should she bleed for the secret her blind love guards,
As a miser gloats o'er his cankered gold,
Should she wake in the night with a tortured cry,
"God forgive me, should I have told?"

In the dawn's bright sun looms the guillotine,
Black as fate 'gainst the lightning sky,
Red as blood gleams the fateful knife,
Should her fast sealed lips set a loved one die?

What of the days that are still unrolled,
Each bitter hour with its brooding hell,
Nobler to speak or to hide her shame,
Always the question, "Should a mother tell?"

Should a mother tell, and in telling wreck
Lives that ring sweet as a silver bell?
Should she speak when the hazard to kill or save
Hangs on her lips? "Should a mother tell?"

Coming, Friday and Saturday

MARY PICKFORD in "RAGS"

Admission 10 and 20 Cents.

Eleventh Encampment Epworth League at Corpus Christi, Tex.

Corpus Christi, Aug. 3.—While the opening of the eleventh annual assembly of the Texas Epworth league at Epworth-by-the-Sea does not open until Tuesday evening, a goodly number of the leaguers have already reached the grounds and Monday night the auditorium was well filled for an impromptu social service arranged by the early arrivals.

W. N. Nagy of San Antonio and President Sessions of Beville Monday were busy with a crew of men getting everything in readiness for the opening. On the glistening sands along Corpus Christi bay several hundred tents have been placed, over wooden frames, and already a number of tents are occupied with campers.

The advance reservations, both for tents and cottages and for rooms at Epworth Inn, indicate that the attendance will be the largest in the history of the league and it seems a safe assertion to make that by the latter part of the week accommodations on the grounds will be at a premium. Allan K. Ragsdale of San Antonio, for many years president of the Texas Epworth league, and at present traveling freight agent for the Sap, for the past six weeks has been canvassing the state urging a large attendance at the encampment and a large share of the credit for arousing interest in the assembly is credited with him.

Special Pullman cars will be operated into Corpus Christi Tuesday afternoon and night over the four railroads entering the city, bringing the leaguers from Dallas, Fort Worth, Paris, and other Texas points.

Patton's Sun-Proof Paint, Kellor's Linseed Oil and Pittsford Varnishes—a combination you cannot beat. Phones 60. Brazelton, Pryor & Co.—(Adv.)

Artillery Private Found Dead. Galveston, Aug. 3.—William H. Hudnall, 25 years old, a private in Battery E, Fourth Field artillery, stationed at Texas City, was found dead in the home of his father, G. L. Hudnall, in this city today. The body was hanging by a piece of window cord. The Hudnall family were in Caplen and the discovery of the body followed the finding of a note at a neighboring home in which the man said he intended taking his life. Another note left in the home said that his effort to obtain his discharge from the army had failed.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

TODAY

"The Goddess"

EARLE WILLIAMS—ANITA STEWART
FIFTH CHAPTER

The Place **NICKEL** Quality Supreme

OLD STYLE GAME IS WON BY THE NAVS

PUT MEN ON BASES AND KNOCK THEM IN IS SLOGAN OF DAY.

WACO HAMMERS 2 PITCHERS

Grubb's Home Run With the Bases Full Puts Lid on a Doubtful Affair.

During a statewide wave of pitcher-murdering, the Navigators slaughtered two of Galveston's staff and won another game 9 to 4.

With the break in the extreme heat came a revival of the old game in Texas known as "Fill the bags and knock 'em in." This style of play was most popular in the period of the national pastime known as the rock-breaking period. It is very effective. The period derived its name from the supposition that a person who has the ability to make little ones out of big ones on the public roads is best adapted to the style. It is very destructive on pitchers, fielders and fences. Sometimes the fences are removed in order to allow the audiences to better view the outfielders in action. Where the fences are not taken down beforehand, the batsmen often knock them down in the progress of the game.

Just 56 hits were made in the Lone Star league yesterday, and they netted a total of 56 runs. Waco got fifteen of the swats, while Galveston ran close with 11.

As is usual when such an affair is pulled off, the happenings were many and varied. Galveston took a lead right off the reel with two runs in the first. Waco took 'em right back in its part of the same round. Galveston enjoyed another half inning in the third with a one-run lead—and that's all the visitors enjoyed of the afternoon.

Paul Senteil used three pitchers. Burmeister, the last called upon, was effective—possibly because the locals were all run down.

Ogle started for Waco and was yanked when he started punching the ribs of visiting batsmen with the ball. He did it twice hand-running and forced in a score. Professor had everything but his control.

Lefty Hill was called upon for relief duty, and got by, although not in the best of form. However, he used his bat to advantage again, against Moore, the left-hander who started off for Galveston.

Every pitcher used except Burmeister was in danger almost all the time of being yanked. The classy Couch when he relieved Moore was met by a fusillade of hits.

Grubb put the game on ice for Waco, removing all doubt as to the final outcome, when he clouted the ball over the fence with all the corners occupied in the fourth inning.

How They Got the Runs.

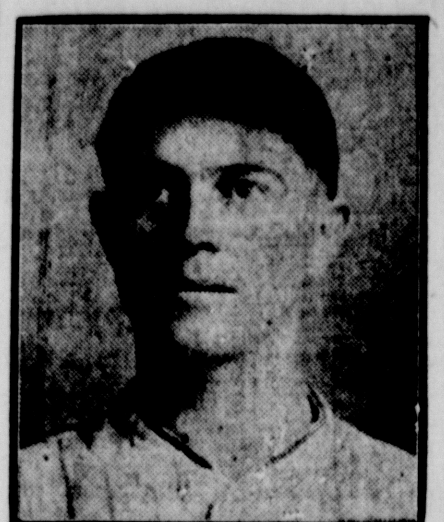
In the first inning, Madden started it with a single through second. Watson popped to Grubb. Smith fanned, while Madden stole second on the third strike. Elwert walked. Johnson smashed a two-bagger to left center, scoring Madden and Elwert and went to third on Ogle's wild pitch. Tarterton lined a hot one into Grubb's hand for the third out.

The Skippers got them back in their half. Tanner walked on four wide ones rolled to second when Madden clouted a wild pitch. Coyle flied out to Madden, the latter making a circus catch. Tanner then stole third. Crichtow tripled to right, scoring Tanner. Baerwald, crowded Crichtow's hit in an effort to catch it and it went through. James planted a single in the same field and "Jaz" counted. Baerwald returned the ball to Smith at second, who dropped it and allowed James to advance to third. Baerwald popped out to Smith. Conwell walked. Wohleben fanned.

The Pirates took the lead for a short time in the third. Smith sacrificed. Elwert doubled to left, scoring Crichtow. Conwell smashed a drive on the top of the boards of the left-field fence for two bases. Watson came over. Grubb hit a fizzle along the third base line. Moore made a hard try to peg the runner out but missed his throw. Tarterton made a grand catch of the high throw and shot the ball back to Carson in time to stay Conwell at the plate.

The game was sewed up in the fifth. Crichtow started the inning by striking out. James walked. Walters hoisted a high fly to Madden. Conwell singled to center. Wohleben was also passed, filling the bases. Grubb picked one out to his liking and it sailed far over the Chiles sign. All hands trotted to Hill, batting right-handed against the left-

Grubb's Home Run Puts Lid on Game



Perhaps if Grubb hadn't leaned into one of Moore's fast ones in the fifth and put it over the fence, the freakish game of yesterday would have been going yet. It so happened that the bases were full when the third baseman delivered.

Handed pitcher, singled. Tanner forced the pitcher. The Corsairs annexed their last score in the sixth. Carson flied out to James. Wells, batting for Moore, singled to right. Madden walked. Watson forced Madden at second. Smith doubled to center, scoring Wells. Elwert dropped a fly in Crichtow's glove.

Hardy's bunch ended all the scoring of the day in their half of the sixth. Couch replaced Moore in the pitcher's box. Coyle singled through short. Crichtow forced Norman at second in an attempted bunt. On the throw-in, but Couch made a timely flag of the ball and shot it to third in time to get him. Conwell flied out to Johnson for the last out.

Tanner, ss. 4 1 1 3 3 0
Coyle, cf. 5 0 1 3 0 0
Crichtow, 2b. 3 2 3 0 0 0
James, rf. 3 2 3 0 0 0
Walters, c. 5 1 2 6 1 0
Conwell, 3b. 3 1 2 3 1 0
Wohleben, 1b. 2 1 2 0 0 0
Grubb, 3b. 4 1 2 3 3 0
Ogle, p. 1 0 1 0 1 0
Hill, p. 2 0 2 0 0 0
Totals 36 9 15 27 10 0

Madden, lf. 4 1 2 2 0 0
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Johnson, cf. 4 0 1 2 0 0
Tarterton, 1b. 4 0 2 7 1 0
Baerwald, rf. 3 0 2 1 0 0
Carson, c. 4 0 1 6 1 0
Moore, p. 2 0 1 0 2 0
Burmeister, p. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Wells, 1b. 1 1 0 0 0 0
Senteil, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0
Totals 36 4 11 24 12 0

By Innings:
Waco 201 001 000-9
Galveston 001 001 000-4
Innings pitched, by Ogle 2-3, Moore 5, Couch 2, runs, Ogle 3, Moore 8, hits, Ogle 6, Moore 11, Couch 4, bases on balls, Ogle 1, Hill 1, Moore 4, Baerwald 5, Ogle 2, Hill 1, Moore 5, Two-base hits, Walters, Conwell, Johnson, Smith, Three-base hit, Crichtow. Home run, Grubb. Sacrifice hits, James, Smith, Stolen bases, Tanner 2, Madden. Double play, Walters to Tanner. First on error, Baerwald. Left on bases, Waco 8, Galveston 9. Time of game, 1:32. Umpire, Wright.

FEDERAL LEAGUE

At St. Louis—R. H. E.
Buffalo 010 000 000-1 4 3
St. Louis 242 011 000-10 11 1
Anderson, LaFitte and Blair, Waco, Crandall and Chapman.
At Pittsburgh—R. H. E.
Brooklyn 001 000 002-3 6 0
Pittsburgh 000 000 000-0 3 0
Finerman, Witte and Simon; Allen and O'Connor.
Second game—R. H. E.
Brooklyn 000 000 020-2 6 1
Pittsburgh 200 110 099-8 3 0
Finerman and H. Smith; Kneizer and Berry.
At Kansas City—R. H. E.
Baltimore 010 001 000-2 6 0
Kansas City 000 000 001-3 6 3
Bailey, Quinn and Owens; Johnson and Brown.

FEEDS PLAN ANOTHER RAID.

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BRAYES JUMP INTO THIRD PLACE IN NAT'L

WAGNER AND VIOX ERR IN INITIAL GAME AND HAND IT TO STALLINGS.

Harmon Hit Hard in Second, But Relieved by Conzelmann, Who Pitches Shut-Out Ball.

Pittsburg, Aug. 3.—Boston defeated the Pirates twice today. Errors by Wagner and Viox lost the first game. The visitors, Harmon, hit the second, but Conzelmann, who relieved him, allowed only one hit in five innings. Score—Pittsburg 11, Boston 5. R. H. E. Boston 000 110 000-5 9 0 Pittsburg 000 020 110-11 4 12 3 Kautelner, Hughes and Gowdy; Cooper, Kantelner, McQuillan and Gibson; Murphy.

Second game—R. H. E. Boston 000 000 000-0 0 0 Pittsburg 002 000 000-2 8 0 Tyler and Whaling; Harmon, Conzelmann and Murphy, Schang.

Ponder's Wild Throw Costs Bronchos Game

San Antonio, Aug. 3.—After giving San Antonio a five-run lead on one hit in the first inning, Fort Worth had a stubborn fight to win in the eleventh by a score of 7 to 6. Lee made three singles and a double in five times. His double in the ninth tied the score and in the eleventh he beat out a bunt which Harper scored from second.

When Ponder threw wild to first by making a great throw to the plate in the tenth when Balen tried to score from second on a hit to center. The score: San Antonio—A. R. H. O. A. E. Baggan, lf. 2 2 1 0 1 0 Handicoff, cf. 6 1 2 1 0 0 Dunckel, 1b. 5 1 0 12 0 1 Leve, 2b. 3 1 0 1 3 1 Odell, 3b. 3 1 0 1 3 1 Meek, c. 3 0 1 3 0 0 Balen, ss. 3 0 1 6 2 0 Harper, rf. 4 0 1 2 0 0 Mullins, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0 Ponder, p. 4 0 1 3 1 1 Totals 42 6 7 20 18 3

Stow, ss. 6 0 2 2 1 0 Atz, 2b. 6 1 7 1 6 1 Harper, cf. 5 1 2 1 0 0 Hunter, 1b. 4 0 3 11 0 0 Lee, lf. 5 1 4 3 0 1 Jordan, c. 0 0 0 0 0 0 Betts, c. 5 0 1 7 1 1 Kerr, p. 5 0 2 2 0 0 Totals 46 7 18 38 16 8

*None when winning run scored. 1st inning.

Fort Worth 202 000 101 01-7 San Antonio 510 000 000 00-2

Stolen bases, Sacrifice hits, Hunter, Dunckel 2, Harper, Two-base hits, Hunter, Betts, Lee, Stow, Harper. Home run, Mullins. Error, Mullins. Time, 2:41. Umpire, Hayes.

Giants Beat Oilers in Poor Contest

Dallas, Aug. 3.—In one of the poorest games played in Dallas this season, the locals defeated the Oilers 10 to 5. Swan allowed three hits and four errors were made behind him. Renfer gave three hits and was awarded perfect support to the four safe blows and an error gave the visitors four runs.

The score: Beaumont—A. R. H. O. A. E. Clark, rf. 3 0 2 0 0 0 Nixon, cf. 4 1 2 0 0 0 Howard, rf. 4 1 2 0 0 0 Dodd, 2b. 3 1 2 1 0 0 Cooke, 1b. 3 0 1 8 0 1 Schwind, ss. 3 1 2 0 0 0 McDonald, 3b. 2 0 0 4 1 0 Bobo, c. 2 0 0 4 1 0 Swan, p. 2 0 0 0 2 1 Dunn, c. 0 0 3 0 0 0 Franz, 1b. 1 0 1 0 0 0 Totals 28 5 7 24 9 7

*Batted for Swan in 9th. *Batted for Swan in 9th.

Dallas—Kellerman, 2b. 5 0 0 3 6 0 Snedecor, 1b. 5 2 3 11 0 0 Harrison, rf. 5 1 2 0 0 0 Brownlow, 3b. 5 3 4 0 3 0 Crouch, lf. 4 1 2 0 0 0 Brownlow, ss. 4 1 2 0 0 0 Storch, cf. 4 1 0 1 0 0 Dunn, c. 4 0 0 4 0 0 Renfer, p. 4 0 0 0 1 0 Totals 30 10 13 27 21 0

By Innings—Beaumont 100 000 004-5 Dallas 000 000 010 02-10

Two-base hits, Tullos, Howard, Franz, Crouch. Three-base hit, Nixon. Stolen bases, Howard, Schwind, Snedecor, Brownlow, Harrison, Crouch, Swan, Crouch 2. Struck out, by Renfer 3, Swan 3. Bases on balls, by Renfer 4, Swan 1. Sacrifice hits, Snedecor, Brownlow, Crouch, Snedecor. Error, Snedecor. Time, 1:40. Umpire, Moran.

Shaw's Single Puts Newman Over Plate

Shreveport, Aug. 3.—After Shreveport had twice tied the score, Houston won out today in the ninth when with two out Newman tripled and scored on Shaw's single. The score was 3 to 7. Shreveport used three pitchers and Houston had two doubles and a single in four trips. The score: Shreveport—A. R. H. O. A. E. Mowry, lf. 5 0 2 3 0 0 Seitz, 2b. 4 1 2 3 4 0 Friserson, 3b. 4 1 2 3 0 0 McDonald, 3b. 2 2 0 2 0 0 Newman, 1b. 4 1 2 8 2 0 Shaw, rf. 3 1 1 1 0 0 Summers, ss. 4 1 1 0 0 0 Clark, c. 4 1 3 7 2 0 Criss, p. 2 0 1 0 1 0 Rose, p. 2 0 0 0 0 0 Totals 33 8 15 27 17 6

Murphy, cf. 4 0 1 3 0 0 Schrader, lf. 1 1 7 0 0 0 Barr, lf. 1 1 7 0 0 0 Knapp, 2b. 38 4 1 1 2 0 Becker, rf. 5 1 3 4 0 0 Carroll, 3b. 2 0 0 0 0 0 Kneaves, ss. 2 0 0 1 2 0 McElveen, ss. 0 0 0 1 1 0 Duffy, p. 1 1 1 0 0 0 Hiett, p. 1 1 1 0 0 0 Leverett, p. 1 0 0 0 1 1 Carnody, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0 Toland, p. 1 0 0 0 0 0 Totals 34 7 11 27 12 1

*Hit for Duffy in 6th. *Hit for Hiett in 6th.

By Innings—Houston 041 000 021-8 Shreveport 100 022 110-3

Stolen bases, McDonald 2, Friserson, Sacrifice hits, Seitz, Friserson, Sacrifice flies, Criss, Newman. Two-base hit, Clarke 2, Carroll, Becker 3, Seitz, Hiett, Knapp, Schrader. Three-base hit, Newman. Double play, Summers to Seitz to Newman. Innings pitched, by Duffy 5, Hiett 4, Criss 7-1-3, Bates, off Duffy 5, Hiett 4, Criss 7. Bases on balls, off Duffy 5, Hiett 3, Criss 2, Bates 1. Struck out, by Hiett 2, Criss 5, Leverett 1, Wild pitch, Criss. Hit batsman, Criss. Time, 2:12. Umpire, McCafferty.

RED SOX WENT UP SERIES WITH TIGERS

LEWIS' SINGLE, FOLLOWED BY BARRY'S DOUBLE, TURNS THE TRICK IN FOURTH.

Foster and Milan Single and With Shanks' Bunt Score Miller With Only Run of Game.

Boston, Aug. 3.—The Boston Americans evened up the series with the Detroit Tigers by winning today's game 2 to 1. Lewis' single, an infield out and Barry's double decided the game in the seventh. Score—R. H. E. Detroit 000 000 000-1 8 1 Boston 000 000 000-2 4 1 Covelackie and Baker; Shore and Cady.

Washington 1, St. Louis 0.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Ayres won a pitching duel from St. Louis today. Wellman replaced Koob with one out in the ninth and one on base. Foster and Milan singled and Shanks' bunt scored Miller with the only run.

Score—R. H. E. St. Louis 000 000 000-0 0 0 Washington 000 000 001-1 5 1 Koob, Wellman and Agnew; Ayres and Henry.

How They Stand

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Waco 9, Galveston 7 Results.

Houston 8, Shreveport 7. Dallas 10, Beaumont 5. Fort Worth 7, San Antonio 6 (11 innings).

Where They Play Today.

Galveston at Waco. Houston at Shreveport. San Antonio at Fort Worth. Beaumont at Dallas.

Standing of the Teams.

Club—Played Won Lost Per. Waco 116 70 46 .603 Galveston 102 55 47 .553 Dallas 117 60 57 .513 San Antonio 115 61 54 .513 Fort Worth 111 59 52 .509 Houston 119 59 60 .495 Beaumont 118 52 66 .441 Shreveport 117 47 70 .402

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Boston 5-7, Pittsburgh 4-2. Others rained out.

Where They Play Today.

Brooklyn at Cincinnati. Philadelphia at Chicago. New York at St. Louis. Boston at Pittsburgh.

Standing of the Teams.

Club—Played Won Lost Per. Philadelphia 116 59 57 .509 Brooklyn 115 55 60 .478 Boston 114 49 65 .431 Chicago 117 52 65 .444 Pittsburgh 114 47 67 .410 New York 110 44 66 .400 Cincinnati 112 45 67 .400

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Boston 2, Detroit 1. Washington 1, St. Louis 0. Others rained out.

Where They Play Today.

Chicago at Washington. St. Louis at New York. Detroit at Philadelphia. Cleveland at Boston.

Standing of the Teams.

Club—Played Won Lost Per. Boston 116 59 57 .509 Chicago 117 52 65 .444 Detroit 115 55 60 .478 Washington 114 49 65 .431 New York 110 44 66 .400 St. Louis 112 45 67 .400 Philadelphia 112 45 67 .400 Cleveland 112 45 67 .400

Sporting Comment

Wonder what these Pirates and Navigators have on tap for today in the way of a change.

Every club in the league scored in the first inning of yesterday's game—except poor old Houston.

In the past week of hectic baseball the Naves have pulled every thing known to baseball, with the exception of a triple play. Pleasants M. Navigators, you can't be expected to do everything.

The Kaiser was the only Nav who failed to get a knock-out. He tried to do so about saving up for a close game. Any old body can hit when they're all hit; but the big ones come when everybody else is laying off.

"All yours, Al," sang out Hill from the mound as night fell across the batsman's head. But by that time Al was camped under it. "Watch that old get it," said H. Al did. These Navigators have the old confidence, not only in themselves but in each other.

Buddy Tanner got so many impossible ones up at short yesterday that a listing of them would be a job. His great recovery of Elwert's grounder back of second in the fifth was probably his best stunt. It looked a good, safe bet for a base hit.

Coyle got the feature hit of the day. He tried to dodge one in the sixth and hit it but for a clean single over short. His back was turned at the time he did it. He looked for the ball and saw it rolling in the outfield, and finally recovered his wits sufficiently to trot down to first.

Proddy not for Lefty. He never looked so bad out there in his life as he did in the last two games—and yet he picked up two easy wins in as many consecutive days simply the big stunt work of his pals. He quit the Monday game with the score in his favor and yesterday he went in with a team behind him, with three men on and two out. The batter facing him popped up and Becker, who had the Naves proceeded to fix the game so it could hardly be lost.

Umpire Miller evidently has wanted. President Davidson ordered him to report here the latter part of last week, following a pop bottle incident in Shreveport, but nobody has been able to locate him since. Whether he's got to return for the big-voiced one, or whether the Shreveport fans decided on safety first and locked him up somewhere until the series at home were over, or whether he got huffed because the president wouldn't let him bow his neck and fight it out in Shreveport, probably won't be known for a time at least.

While few agree with Bobby Tarterton in his strenuous kick on Umpire Pat Wright's decision calling him out at second in the seventh, Bobby made a hit with the crowd on his great play in the third. With Conwell on second, Grubb rolled a swinging bunt toward third which looked impossible for Moore to handle. Most pitchers would have not thrown the ball at all, but Gene cut loose and pegged one that looked like it was going over the grandstand. Tarterton

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MARKET REPORT

COTTON

New York, Aug. 3.—An early advance was followed by reactions in the cotton market today, with the close steady at a net gain of only 1 to 3 points. The market opened firm on an advance of 12 to 14 points in response to relatively firm cables, while the failure of the weather map to show as much rain in the south as suggested by some of yesterday's late private reports also seemed to inspire some scattered covering. The bulk of the demand, however, appeared to come through houses with Liverpool connections and was pretty well supplied around the initial figures owing to further liquidation or realizing by recent buyers.

The western belt forecast for generally fair weather helped the tone of the market but the demand tapered off at the close abroad, and prices later turned back under liquidation by early buyers or a renewal of local selling based on the detailed weather reports, which showed more rain than forecasted by the early market. It indicated that the drought had been pretty well broken in South Carolina, and Arkansas and import sections had been relieved in Georgia, Alabama, North Carolina and parts of Texas. After easing off to a net loss of 2 points or two, the market steadied slightly in the trading on covering.

Liverpool buying here was generally attributed to the undoing of straddle rather than to hedge purchases against forward needs or fresh operations for long account.

Port receipts today 2674 bales; United States port stocks 743,532. Exports 3853 bales.

New Orleans.

New Orleans, Aug. 3.—While cotton made a ten-point advance in the early trading today, it fell off later and closed at a net rise of only 1 point to 2 points. This was within 2 points of the lowest. It was a session of small trading and except around the opening price movements were slow.

The initial bulge was in sympathy with the bullish showing of the Liverpool market. After the selling had spent itself, offerings increased as the result of scattered showers over the belt.

Annual statistics announced today had their bullish and bearish features, but they exerted no influence on prices. The season's consumption of 14,134,000 bales was larger than the selling had shown, but at the same time the visible supply and invisible supply of 5,329,000 bales broke all records.

SPOTS.

Galveston, Aug. 3.—Spot cotton, middling 8.50c, receipts 907 bales; exports 2035, sales 357, stock 108,409.

Liverpool.

Liverpool, Aug. 3.—Cotton spot was unchanged today. Good middling 5.54, low middling 5.48, sales 10,000; for speculation and export 1000; receipts 6000.

FUTURES.

Liverpool, Aug. 3.—Futures barely steady. August 5.49, August-September 5.49, September-October 5.48, October-November 5.47, November-December 5.46, December-January 5.45, January-February 5.44, February-March 5.43, March-April 5.42, April-May 5.41, May-June 5.40, June-July 5.39, July-August 5.38.

NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, Aug. 3.—Merchandise paper 3 1/2 @ 3 3/4. Sterling exchange: 60-day bills 4.7125, demand 4.76, cables 4.7675. Bar silver 47 1/2. Mexican dollars 36 1/2. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds firm. Time loans steady: 60-day loans 2 1/2, 90-day loans 2 1/2 @ 3, six-month loans 3 1/4 per cent. Call money steady: high 2, low 1 1/2, ruling rate 1 3/4, last loan 2, closing bid 1 3/4, offered at 2 per cent.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received until Friday, 5 p. m., August 6, 1915, by B. B. Cobb, secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Public Free schools of the city of Waco, Texas, for the furnishing of all labor and materials required in the erection of a one-story two-room box school building to be erected at the site of the East Waco colored school.

The right is reserved to accept any proposals or to reject all proposals. Plans and specifications are now on file at the office of Milton W. Scott & Co., Architects, Waco, Texas, and may be secured by depositing with them the sum of \$10.00 to insure their return.—Adv.

LIVESTOCK

Fort Worth, Aug. 3.—Cattle receipts 2000; market weak; hives \$6.80, stockers \$5.50 @ 6.50, cows \$3.25 @ 5.75, heifers \$4.50 @ 7.00, bulls \$4.00 @ 5.00, calves \$4.00 @ 5.00.

Hog receipts 300; market 10 to 15 cents higher; light \$7.00 @ 7.75, heavy \$7.50 @ 7.75, mixed \$7.25 @ 7.50, common \$6.00 @ 6.25.

Sheep receipts 250; market unchanged; lambs \$7.00 @ 8.00, yearlings \$6.00 @ 7.00, weathers \$5.75 @ 6.50, ewes \$5.50 @ 6.25, culls \$3.25 @ 4.50, goats \$3.25 @ 4.25.

Sales in the local yards today were reported as follows:

Av. wt. Price.

Callahan Land & Pasture Co., Encinal—

175 calves 194 7.50

76 cows 740 5.00

175 calves 374 7.05

Kansas City.

Kansas City, Aug. 3.—Hog receipts 7000; market higher; light \$7.15 @ 7.45, bulk of sales \$6.75 @ 7.40, heavy \$6.50 @ 7.15, packers and butchers \$7.00 @ 7.45, light \$7.15 @ 7.45, plus \$5.50 @ 7.00.

Cattle receipts 8000; market strong to higher; prime fed, steers \$9.00 @ 10.00, dressed beef steers \$8.25 @ 9.50, southern steers \$6.50 @ 8.00, cows \$4.50 @ 7.25, heifers \$6.75 @ 9.50, stockers \$4.50 @ 8.25.

Sheep receipts 1500; market steady to lower; lambs \$8.50 @ 9.10, yearlings \$6.50 @ 7.50, weathers \$6.25 @ 7.00, ewes \$6.00 @ 6.75, stockers \$5.25 @ 7.85.

Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Hog receipts 9000; market weak; bulk of sales \$5.00 @ 7.50, light \$7.20 @ 7.80, mixed \$6.45 @ 7.80, heavy \$6.20 @ 7.30, rough \$6.20 @ 6.35, pigs \$6.80 @ 7.80.

Cattle receipts 2000; market firm; native beef cattle \$6.25 @ 10.30, western steers \$6.50 @ 8.15, cows and heifers \$3.25 @ 9.25, calves \$7.00 @ 11.25.

Sheep receipts 17,000; market firm; sheep \$7.10 @ 10.00.

St. Louis.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.—Hog receipts 5000; market higher; pigs and lights \$7.25 @ 7.80, mixed \$7.45 @ 7.75, good and heavy \$6.85 @ 7.25.

Cattle receipts 4000; market higher; native beef steers \$5.50 @ 10.15, cows \$4.00 @ 8.00, stockers and feeders \$4.00 @ 8.25, Texas and Indian steers \$5.25 @ 8.85, cows and heifers \$4.00 @ 8.50, native calves \$6.00 @ 10.75.

Sheep receipts 5000; market steady to lower; mutton sheep \$4.50 @ 5.50, lambs \$8.75, bleating ewes \$5.50 @ 7.25.

WHEAT

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Curtailment of export demand finally proved more than an offset today for reports that wheat again was seriously threatened by black rust. The market closed unsettled 1/2 @ 3/4 under last night. Corn finished unchanged to 1/4 c, oats up 1/2 @ 2 1/2 c and provisions down 5 @ 27 1/2 c.

Constant wet weather over the winter crop belt seemed to have put country dealers in a position where they did not dare to sell wheat to arrive. As a result the outlook was that for some time the bulk of the grain would have to be consigned. This fact, it was said, operated in turn to restrict decidedly the amount of foreign business.

Corn at the last weakened with wheat. Previously, though, corn had averaged moderately higher owing to a good shipping demand from the east and to the continued cool weather.

Oats ran up in price because of many complaints of sprouting shocks and of wet weather delays to cutting and threshing.

Larger warehouse stocks here than expected made the provisions market heavy.

Futures ranged as follows:

Wheat—

Sept. 1.07 1/2, 1.08 1/2, 1.06 1/2, 1.06 1/2

Dec. 1.11 1/4, 1.11 1/4, 1.13 1/4, 1.13 1/4

May 1.14 1/4, 1.14 1/4, 1.13 1/4, 1.13 1/4

Oats—

Sept. .74 1/2, .75, .74 1/2, .74 1/2

Dec. .69 1/2, .69 1/2, .69 1/2, .69 1/2

May .40 1/2, .40 1/2, .40 1/2, .40 1/2

Provisions—

Sept. 13.87, 13.87, 13.32, 13.35

Oct. 13.87, 13.87, 13.32, 13.35

Lard—

Sept. 8.05, 8.10, 8.10, 8.10

Oct. 8.05, 8.10, 8.10, 8.10

CASH GRAIN.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.12 @ 1.13 1/2, No. 2 hard \$1.16 @ 1.17 1/2, No. 2 mixed \$1.10 @ 1.11 1/2, Oats—Standard 55 @ 56c, Barley—70 @ 78c.

St. Louis, Aug. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.14 @ 1.15, No. 2 hard nominal, Oats—Nominal.

Kansas City, Aug. 3.—Wheat—No. 2 hard \$1.15 @ 1.16, No. 2 mixed \$1.10 @ 1.11, No. 2 white \$1.10 @ 1.11, No. 2 mixed \$1.10 @ 1.11.

Real Estate for Sale

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WANTED—Occupants for nice rooms, with board. New phone 355, old 1906.

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TWO very desirable upstairs rooms, will rent either as bedroom or bathroom, or singly, with or without board. 927 Washington St.

FOR RENT—1120 N. 9th, 6 rooms and bath, electric light, bath, toilet and modern conveniences. Ring old phone 1110.

FOR RENT—New 4-room cottage, with gas, electric light, bath, toilet and modern conveniences. Ring old phone 2433.

FOR RENT—Modern 6-room cottage, 517 Jefferson St., Apt. Mrs. T. B. Barton, 514 N. 5th, new phone 1664.

A NEW BUNGALOW with all modern conveniences; hot running water and hot air furnace; reasonable rent. Old phone 1542.

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FOR RENT—8-room cottage; all modern conveniences. Located 614 S. 8th St. Simmons Feed and Fuel Co., both phones 87.

For Rent—Miscellaneous

FOR RENT—Tents, camp supplies and Jack screws. Ed Strauss, 617 Jackson street.

Trade and Exchange

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—55 FARMS IN BELL COUNTY. D. P. JOHNSON, AGENT, BELTON, TEXAS.

Coal and Wood.

W. D. LACY COAL CO.—Wholesale shippers of coal in all sizes, office 11th and Jackson Sts., phones 22, Waco, Tex.

Plumbers

TEXAS PLUMBING CO., plumbing, Steam and hot water heating; natural gas fitting. 214 S. 8th St. Call 236, new phone 1542.

Maps and Blue Prints

CITY MAPS for sale by W. H. Jones, 301 Times-Herald Bldg.

Male Help Wanted

WANTED—Two up-to-date house-to-house solicitors, either sex. If your salary is less than \$20 per week it will pay you to investigate. Apply after 10 a. m., Waco Hotel.

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MEX—Learn the barber trade at Texas Barber College, world's greatest, money while learning; free catalogue, J. Burton, Dallas, Texas.

WANTED—Men and boys to learn barber trade; our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach trade in few weeks. Write Moler Barber College, 2011 Elm St., Dallas, or 111 Main St., Fort Worth.

WANTED—Every boy and girl to get a go-cycle free. Lots of fun. See Circulation Manager, News.

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AGENTS WANTED—Article sells in every home. Salary or commission. Write B. F. Gilbert, Fort Worth, Texas, box 285.

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NEW SAMPLE 44 and 45 shoes set here \$2.50; second-hand shoes at specialty; hand-made clothing bought and sold; goods guaranteed. 217 Franklin St.

Millinery.

FOR millinery, dressmaking and human hair goods, call on Mrs. P. Boyd, the colored milliner, 123 S. Second St., new phone 2481.

Fish and Oysters.

BRAZOS FISH MARKET—E. Henry, proprietor. East Side Square, old phone 460, new phone 536.

Carpet Cleaning

EXPERT CARPET CLEANING, vacuum process; reasonable prices. Wilson's carpet cleaning shop, new phone 1821.

Cut Flowers and Designs.

WACO FLORAL CO.—Salesroom, Masonic Bldg., 8th and Washington Sts., both phones 2565. Voice cut flower and designs a specialty. Waco, Tex.

Wood and Ice.

J. A. RITTER, dealer in wood and ice, old fashioned mill grinding. 708 Elm St., new phone 1911.

Auto Repair Shop.

New Washington Street Garage. Open day and night. Buick cars a specialty. 50c per hour. W. M. Bray, manager; 12 years experience. Satisfaction guaranteed. 102 Washington St., new phone 1900.

Hat Works

ROBERTS THE HATTER, exclusive hat store; hats cleaned and blocked. 707 Austin St., new phone 130.

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Bakeries.

VINCENT'S cottage rolls and Beech-Nut bread are the best; always fresh at the bakery, 5th and Webster. Old phone 1441.

Office and Store Room

FOR RENT—Store house on Austin Ave., good location. Address J. H. Riley, suite 501 Praetorian Bldg.

Moving and Storage

DILWORTH & GEORGE, moving, packing, shipping, storage and heavy hauling. 708 Franklin St., new phone 2554.

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Bottling Works.

IRON BREW, the tollers beverage, manufactured by Waco Bottling Works, phones 123.

Wood and Wood Sawing

400 STICKS dry post oak stove wood, \$1 E. B. Daniels, new phone 707.

WOOD SAWING. Ring new phone 1194 and get your wood sawed at once.

Lost, Found, Strayed, Etc.

STOLEN—From Tabernian Park last Wednesday night, horse and runaway buggy. \$10 reward for return to Waco State Bank.

LOST—A gold medal, with name engraved, Ida Lester Thurman. Phone new 2360 for reward.

DID you see our add in today's paper? E. B. Daniel, new phone 707.

Cleaning and Pressing

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HENRY WHITE, cleaning and pressing, suits made to order. Ladies' work solicited. 315 S. 6th.

JOHN MERRITT, tailoring, cleaning, pressing and repairing. Palm beach suits. New phone 1907. 117 N. 5th St.

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LOANS—Real estate, collateral, mortgages and chattel. See W. O. Van Wyck, Agent, 8th floor Amicable Bldg., Waco, Texas.

Outdoor Advertising.

THE EDWARDS CO.—Poster advertising, pasted bulletins, wall service. 11th and Webster Sts., old phone 746, Waco, Texas.

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Guard Your Baby Against Summer Complaint

It's hard enough to guard your baby from the ills you don't know. Don't place him in the way of troubles you know.

It is summer complaint that snaps up the lives of our babies in summer. There'll be no summer complaint for your baby—no thin, weary body if you make sure his food is exactly right. Nurse your baby if you possibly can—if not, give him something so near the little stomach won't feel the difference. Give him

Nestlé's Food

With the growth of the Better Babies Movement grows the use of NESTLÉ'S Food. Where one mother used it seven years ago—five use it today.

Cow's milk from unclean dairies and sick cows carries summer complaint. If you could examine the cow and milk it yourself—if you could modify it so your baby could digest it—cow's milk would be all right. You can't. But NESTLÉ'S has found the way to bring to your baby the full benefit of cow's milk without any of the harm.

NESTLÉ'S is pure, rich milk from healthy cows, milked in clean dairies, and modified so that the

weakest baby can digest it. The tough curd is made soft as in mother's milk, and the special things your baby needs to build a healthy body are added. Just add cold water and boil, and it is ready.

Send the coupon for a big can of Nestlé's Food for 12 feedings, and for the book on "Better Babies" free.

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Please send me FREE your book and trial package.

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City.....

Improve Sanitary Conditions of the County Poor Farm

Several changes at the county poor farm were decided on yesterday by County Judge George N. Deaton and the county commissioners, who spent most of the day going over the farm. One of the most important matters decided on was to have County Engineer R. J. Windrow make a survey to see if it would be possible to secure sewer connections.

Members of the commissioners' court are not desirous of going to a great expense on the present farm, as it is possible that it may be sold within a few years. However, it was decided to make several changes in the manner of conducting the farm, so that the inmates might be made more comfortable and everything kept in a sanitary condition.

Foscue-Amicable Case is Now Being Argued

The charge was delivered to the jury in the Foscue-Amicable libel case yesterday morning and the arguments began. By agreement of the attorneys seven hours were consumed yesterday and the same amount of time will be used today.

Judge Erwin J. Clark of the Seventy-fourth district court, before whom the case has been tried, is one of the youngest, if not the youngest district judge in the state, but the manner in which he has handled the trial, which extended over more than six weeks, has excited much favorable comment.

Dr. G. B. Foscue is suing the Amicable Life Insurance company for \$50,000 for alleged damages from statements contained in circulars sent out by the company, which he alleges were libelous.

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OVER 200 IN ATTENDANCE CUP FOR GOLF TOURNAMENT

Initial Conference With County-Wide Board Results in Better Understanding of Various Problems.

General Meeting Next Tuesday Night to be Held at Cotton Palace Park. "Watermelons."

Every section of McLennan county was represented at the annual meeting of district school trustees, held yesterday in the Nineteenth district court room. President John Strauss of the county school board presided, most of the discussion being on the new high school law, the appropriation for rural schools, transfers of pupils and how to better school conditions. Between 200 and 250 trustees were in attendance.

The morning session lasted from 9:30 to 12, being the most largely attended, while the afternoon session ran from 2 to 5 o'clock. President Strauss first explained the explanation of the county high school law, at the request of the trustees, answering many questions as to points where there was a difference of opinion.

Prof. R. L. Abbott, county superintendent, explained the authority vested in the county school board as to the transferring of pupils. It was explained, however, that the county school board would prefer recommendations from the local trustees before making transfers. A motion was made that no transfers be ordered unless first approved by the local trustees. This motion met some opposition but carried by a vote of 65 to 17.

Considerable merriment was aroused by Prof. Abbott's asking what he should do with the applications for transfers on hand, which he said would fill a couple of drawers. It was decided to leave the matter of handling them to the county board, but to adopt the new method for future cases.

County Line Case Peculiar. A visiting trustee from Coryell county, whose district is just over the McLennan county line, wanted to know what action would probably be taken in a case now up in his district. The school just over the line in McLennan county is a one-room school, teaching only to the fifth grade. Two of the children in one family are in the sixth grade, and three are smaller. The parents desire to get their children to the Coryell county school, not being able to furnish transportation to take children to two different schools.

Prof. Abbott replied that, in every instance, the county board would try to solve the problem so as to protect individual rights without crippling the schools. He said that he could not tell in advance what the decision would be in any one case until he had all the facts.

There was something of a disappointment in that the representative of the state department of education was not able to get here and explain the appropriation for rural schools. Prof. Strauss said, however, that a million dollars had been set aside to help rural schools and that such a representative would be sent to explain the provisions of the act should communicate with State Superintendent Doughty. The Bruceville school has decided to try to get the money.

How School Houses Should Be Built. In the general discussion which took place late in the afternoon Prof. Abbott advised that school houses should always be built east and west and that the doors should never be placed at the south. He said that any community would find that by voting a tax on itself for the comfort of the children it would so improve the conditions that the expense would scarcely be noticed.

One trustee asked what to do when doors and windows were broken in and Prof. Abbott advised him that there was a law making provision for punishment for such offenders and that it would be a good idea to see that the law was enforced.

Announcement was made that another meeting of the board would be held next Monday, but this meeting is for the board alone and not for the district trustees. Members of the county board are delighted with the manner in which the district trustees attended yesterday's conference.

Becton, Hillsboro Agent of Katy, is Transferred to Waco

A. C. Becton, formerly local freight agent for the Katy at Hillsboro, was checked in yesterday as freight agent here, succeeding C. H. Pinnell, whose resignation became effective Monday. Mr. Pinnell will be transferred to some other point in the Katy service. Frank E. Pennington, agent at Itasca, was transferred to fill the vacancy at Hillsboro made by transferring Mr. Becton to Waco. Mr. Becton has been in the employ of the Katy for several years at Hillsboro, where he has given satisfaction to both the railroad and its patrons.

Tax Payers With Kick to be Given Hearing

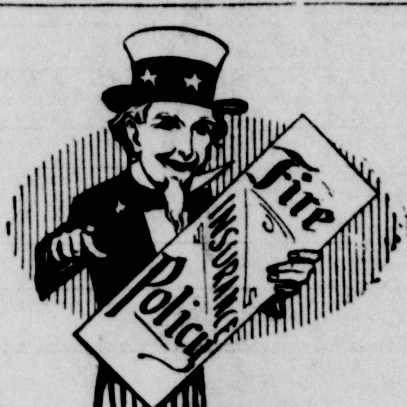
Complaints from tax payers of the city whose renditions of valuations for taxation were increased by the city board of equalization, will be heard at a series of sessions of the board which will begin Monday, August 16. Sessions for hearing complaints will continue for one week, according to announcement cards being sent out by City Tax Collector R. L. Stribling to parties interested. Members of the city board of equalization are S. H. Clayton, Luke Moore and J. F. Stampf, who were appointed by the city commission, and have been holding sessions for several weeks passing upon the tax rolls of the city. It is stated that in most cases renditions raised have been only those that were lower than valuations set last year.

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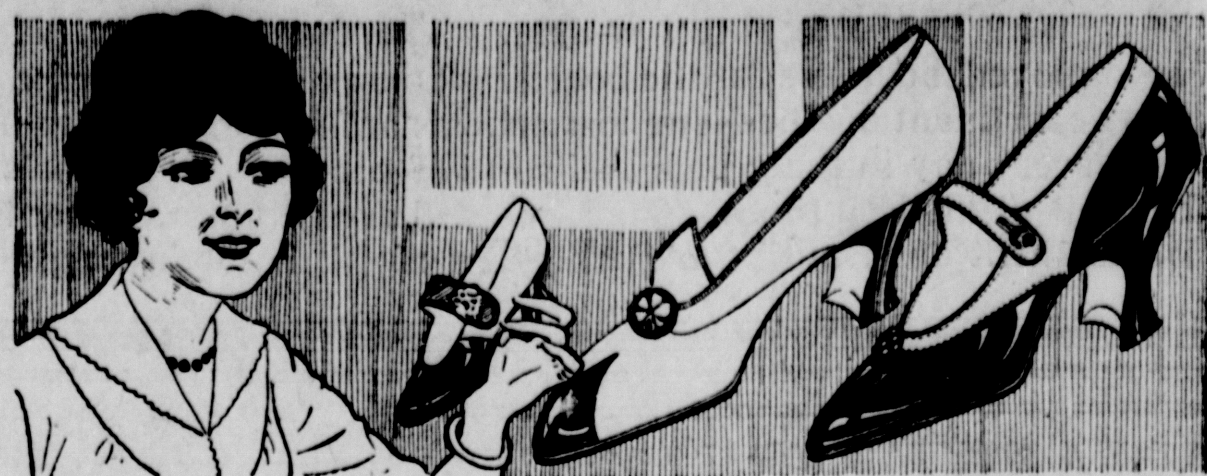
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ernor Ferguson returned to his home in Temple the committee would make him a visit and urge him to consider the Waco offer.

Will Lacy appeared on behalf of the Huaco club, suggesting that the league donate a cup to the invitation golf tournament. Players are expected from all over the state, he said, and it would be a good advertisement for the league. On motion of W. W. Woodson, it was decided to give the cup.

W. V. Crawford and M. B. Price, two members of the committee to raise a bonus for the first sale of McLennan county cotton, reported that \$75 had been raised. This will be given to the farmer bringing in the first bale, reports that the money was to be divided between two bales being erroneous. Sen. Nix is the other member of the committee. It is possible that the bale which reached Mart yesterday will be brought into Waco today.

On motion of W. V. Crawford, it was decided to hold the general meeting next Tuesday night at Cotton Palace park, and, on motion of W. W. Naman, that a watermelon feast be provided.

J. W. Evans, superintendent of the Texas Central railroad, was elected to membership in the league.

CITY NEWS BRIEFS

R. C. Long, 325 North Fourth street, took two shots at a burglar who awakened several members of the family in the attempt to enter the house early yesterday morning. The burglar escaped.

Complaint was filed yesterday before J. C. Collins, United States commissioner, against Ira Thompson, negro, arrested Monday night on a charge of stabbing a woman in the postoffice.

Word was received here yesterday through J. C. Collins that G. W. McNamara had been elected vice president of the Waco Petroleum company, which has holdings at Malone, Texas, and at Marietta, Okla.

Two bales of last year's cotton were received and weighed here yesterday by Sen. Nix, public weigher. They brought 8 cents a pound. The first bale of McLennan county 1915 cotton will probably reach Waco today.

Nothing was done yesterday in the pool hall case. Sam Reed, who had opened his place on the south side of the square, had it closed yesterday. County Attorney John B. McNamara expects to file complaints for the day the hall was operated in the near future.

Charged with shooting Paul Lee near Chalk Bluff on the night of July 10, Fred Jenkins was yesterday bound over to the grand jury by Justice J. J. Padgett, bond being fixed at \$1000. The parties are negroes and the trouble started at a negro "sociable" at the school house.

At sheriff's sale yesterday morning the D. H. Grand, Sr., farm, consisting of about 450 acres on the Moody-McGregor road, was sold to the Temple Trust company for \$15,000 under a judgment. Reports are that the tract was almost immediately sold by the trust company for \$20,000.

W. J. Neale returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit to the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco. He reports a very enjoyable visit, with a leisurely return. W. J. Neale, Jr., and Melbourne Cooper, who accompanied Mr. Neale to San Francisco, returned several days ago.

The contest of the T. M. Lankford will be appealed yesterday to the Nineteenth district court. Lankford, who was shot and killed in a down town picture show, left a will in which his four children were practically disinherited in favor of his mother. The estate is valued at about \$30,000, and representatives of the children contested the will, which was allowed to go to probate in the county court without the introduction of any testimony by the contestants.

Abe Frank, associated with the wholesale department of Sanger Brothers

ers for twenty-five years, previous to closing January 1, leaves this week for San Antonio, where he has formed new business connections and where he will reside hereafter. He formed a large circle of friends during his long residence here. The change will mean a return home for Mrs. Frank, who, previous to her marriage, was one of the prominent club women of San Antonio, and who has been prominent in the Jewish Council of Women and other club circles during her residence here.

Physicians at the Providence sanitarium yesterday pronounced Patrolman Rolon Spillar out of danger from the gunshot wound inflicted by Wesley Crippen, white man, who shot the officer on his beat on North Second street last Wednesday night. For several days it was thought that the wounded man could not recover, and physicians credit his present favorable condition to his splendid constitution and determination to recover.

A complaint charging Crippen with assault to murder has been filed in Justice Giles P. Lester's court by Assistant County Attorney D. C. Woods. The amount of bond was not fixed, as no application has been made by Crippen for release on bail. No date has yet been set for the examining trial, which will be in Justice Lester's court. The penalty for assault to murder, upon conviction, is from two to fifteen years in the penitentiary. It has not been revealed upon what grounds Crippen will base his defense when he is tried for shooting the officer.

Reception to Archbishop Bonzano. Seattle, Wash., Aug. 3.—A public reception to Archbishop John Bonzano, papal delegate to the United States, was the notable feature of the Knights of Columbus annual gathering here tonight.

First Bale in This County Brings 10.55 in Market at Mart

Mart, Aug. 3.—The first bale of cotton raised in McLennan county was brought into Mart and was sold for 10.55 cents a pound. It weighed 339 pounds. A premium of \$32.50 was also contributed by the Mart business men. The cotton was grown by M. E. Bowers a few miles from here. The president of the Retail Dealers' association did the auctioneering, the purchasers being Wilkes Brothers. The cotton graded strict middling.



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